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Business Directory.

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D. FAST, Dealer in Groceries, Flour, Feed, Confectionery, Tobacco and Cigars. (sep28:1y

HENRY MERZ, Manufacturer and Dealer in Boots, Shoes and Gaiters; Main st. [sep28:1y

BEAVER DRUG STORE, Hugo Andriessen, Druggist & Apothecary, Main st. Prescriptions carefully compounded. [sep28:1y

ANDERSON, Dealer in the improved Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine, Main st. Needles and Shuttle Sewing Machine, Main st. Need- les and Shuttles for all machines in use. sep28:1y

MRS. E. BACON, Dealer in Millinery Goods and Fancy Trimmings; corner 3d st and Diamond. sep28:1y

JAMES MOORE, Grocery & Restaurant Choice Teas, Best Coffees, Tobacco and Cigars, Confectionery and Vegetables. Main st. sep28:1y

E. ANSCHUTZ, Dealer in Tinware, Stoves, Grates, &c. West end 3d st. sep28:1y

PITTSBURGH.

J. MORGANSTERN, Dealer in Boots & Shoes, No 96 Market St. Pittsburgh, Pa. [sep14:1y

GEORGE & PHILLIPS, Real Estate Agents, Compiling Tract Numbers of the "Real Estate Register," sent free. Pittsburgh. [sep14:1y

J. HENDERSON & BROS., Wholesale Druggists, 256 Liberty St. Pittsburgh. sep14:1y

J. DANALEY'S HAT PARLOR, 29 Fifth Avenue, (near Market St.) Pittsburgh. [sep14:1y

S. A. CLARKE & CO., Booksellers and Stationers, 119 Wood St., Pittsburgh, Pa. [sep14:1y

JOSEPH HORNE & CO., 77 & 79 Market St., Pittsburgh—Importers and dealers in Notions, Trimmings, Hosiery, White Goods, &c. [sep14:1y

J. PALMER & BROTHERS, French and American Confectioners. Dealers in nuts, fruits, &c., No. 119 Wood St. Pittsburgh. [sep14:1y

J. MCCABE, Dealer in choice Teas, Coffees & Family Groceries. No 20 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. sep14:1y

JOHN BIGGERT & SON, Dealers in the New Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machines. 116 Market street, Pittsburgh, Pa. sep14:1y

MCCLINTOCK & CO., Dealers in Carpets, Oil Cloths, &c. Special rates to Clergymen. 54 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. [sep14:1y

P. SCHMIDT, Successor to J. M. Johnston, Dealer in Watches, Clocks, Jewelry & Silver ware. No 64 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh. [sep14:1y

W. HAINES, House and Sign Painter, writer & Decorator Show Cards for every business.—No. 74 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. [sep21:1y

T. FULTON, Manufacturer of and Dealer in Furniture, Chairs, Bedsteads, Looking Glasses, Mattresses and Oak. 45 Stillwater st. [oct5:1y

NEW BRIGHTON.

GEO. F. SIEMMON, Bakery & Confectionery, Fifth street. Special attention given to wedding and ball cake. [sep14:1y

A. J. SNELLENBERG, Merchant Tailor,—Broadway, New Brighton. See adv [sep14:1y

M. WHISLER, Dentist. Broadway, New Brighton. sep14:1y

NOSS, Photographer, Wilson's Block, Broadway. Best photographs from re-touched negatives. [sep14:1y

WINTER & BEDISON, Jewelers and Tobacconists, Broadway, N. Brighton. [sep14:1y

J. HORTTER, Grocories, Queensware and Household Goods. Broadway. [sep14:1y

EVAN PUGH, Dealer in Wall Paper, Window Blinds, Books, Stationery & Notions; Broadway, New Brighton, Pa. [sep21.1y

BEAVER FALLS.

WILLIAM ROBERTSON, Dealer in Improved Howe Sewing Machines. Main St., Beaver Falls. sep14:1y

MRS. E. KING,—Dry Goods, Queensware and Millinery, corner of Main and Baker streets, Beaver Falls. sep14:1y

RANDALL & PANNEY, Artists & Prerce Painters; also, House and Sign Painters, Main St., Beaver Falls. sep14:1y

BRIDGEWATER.

JAMES PORTER, Tinner, Dealer in Tin, Copper and Sheet-iron ware, and iron Cistern Pumps. Bridge st, Bridgewater. [sep14:1y

C. HARTZELL, Manufacturer and Dealer in Boots and Shoes. Bridge St., Bridgewater, Pa. sep14:1y

C. HURST, Dry Goods, Hats, Caps, Furs, Carpets, Oil Cloths and Trimmings. Bridge st, Bridgewater, Pa. sep14:1y

H. DOHERTY, Dealer in Boots and Shoes. Bridge Street, Bridgewater. sep14:1y

BANACHE, Millinery, Trimmings & Notions Bridge st., Bridgewater. sep14:1y

F. WEINMAN, Manufacture of Boots and Shoes. Bridge St., Bridgewater. [sep14:1y

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STILES & CO., Grocries, Queensware, Window Glass, Flour, Feed & Country Produce, Dunlap's corner, Bridge St. Bridgewater. [sep21:1y

LUTHER MAGINNIS,—*Solicitor*—Proprietor of Persian Ointment, & Dealer in Agents' Goods Agents wanted. Water st. bet mills, Bridgewater. P. O. address, Beaver, Pa. sep14:1y

HIRAM MEANOR, Dealer in Monongahela and Cent. Orders left at B. Clark's, in Beaver, or at Smith's Drug Store, in Bridgewater, will be promptly attended to. Cash on delivery—Lowest price. Yard—McDonald's Pulnt. [sep28:1y

ROCHESTER.

WILLSMITH & CO., Fancy Dry Goods, Notions and Millinery. Madison st., near Diamond Rochester, Pa. [sep14:1y

HENRY LAPP, Manufacturer and Dealer in Furniture of all kinds. Brighton st., above the Factory. See adv't. [sep14:1y

JOHN KARCHER, Baker and Confectioner.—Water st., Rochester, Pa. [sep14:1y

INGRAHAM BOYD, Wagon & Carriage Maker, Buffalo st., Rochester. Pa. [sep14:1y

SAMUEL C. HANNEN, Druggist. Prescriptions carefully compounded. Water st., Rochester. [sep14:1y

DR. S. MANANS, Electrical Physician; Chronic diseases made a specialty. Office, corner of Water and Bridge sts., Rochester. [sep14:1y

FEDERICK SONS, Wholesale & Retail Dealers in Dry Goods, Groceries, Flour, Feed, Grain, Nails, Iron & Nails, Cor. Water & James sts. [sep14:1y

J. BLAUGHT, Baker and Confectioner.—Wedding Cakes and Ice Cream furnished on short notice. On Diamond, Rochester. [sep14:1y

FOR SALE by A. SILVERMAN, Headquarters for Woolen & Domestic Dry Goods, Notions, Millinery and Fancy Goods generally, Rochester. [sep14:1y

J. MILLER & CO., Contractors and Builders, Manufacturers of Sash, Doors, Shutters &c., Dealers in Lumber Lath &c. Rochester. [sep21:1y

SCOTT, BOYLE & WILLIAMS, Successors to C. Parkins & Co., Dealers in Sawed and Planed Lumber, Lath & Shingles, Rochester. [sep28:1y

MISCELLANEOUS.

JOHN THORNLEY, Manufacturer of the Great Republic Cooking Stove, and Patentee of Portable Extension top and centre. Fallston, Pa.

HERBERT RUSSELL, Stoneware Manufacturer. Orders promptly attended to. Vanport, Pa. Post office address—Beaver, Pa. [sep28:1y

HAVING Permanently located in the village of Zelienople, Pa., for the purpose of practicing Medicine, I respectfully tender my professional services to the citizens of said village and vicinity. Office, in residence, opposite Eagle Hotel, where I shall always be found, unless professionally engaged. All calls will receive immediate and prompt attention. A. V. CUNNINGHAM, M. D. sep21:1y

H. McCREERY, ATTORNEY AT LAW. *Third Street, Beaver, Pa.* Office below the Court House, Beaver, Pa. jy22tf

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DR. JOHN C. LEWIS, Surgeon & Physician.—Office, during the day, at Dunlap's corner; at night at my residence on Water street, Bridgewater, Pa. Will practice Surgery and Medicine. [mar9:1y&6 apr7

JOHN B. YOUNG, Attorney at law, Beaver, Pa. Office and residence on Third St. east of the Court House. All law business entrusted to my care shall receive prompt attention. Persons having *Real Estate for Sale*, and those wishing to buy town property, coal or farm lands, may save time and money by calling at my office. apr2:1y

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WILLIAM HARNES, dealer in Boots & Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., next door to Jones' Tin shop, Bridge street, Bridgewater, where he is prepared to manufacture and sell everything in his line at reasonable rates. Having changed his place of business from the corner of the Bridge to his present location, he invites his old friends and patrons to give him a call.

JAS. CAMERON, Attorney at Law Beaver, Pa. Office in the room formerly occupied by the late Judge Adams. Collections, &c., promptly attended to. sep28:1y

P. KURN, Attorney at Law. Office in McKinley's building, east of Public square. sep28:1y

P. JEUNET, Watchmaker and Jeweler, 3d st., Beaver, Pa. (In room adjoining J. Moon's office). Gold watches and chronometers repaired and warranted. Engraving done to order. The patronage of the public is solicited, and satisfaction guaranteed. Give us a call. sep28:1y

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N. J. McCORMICK.

J. LINNENBRINK, Dealer in Watches, Clocks, *Jewelry, Periodicals and Stationery.* Watches and Jewelry repaired. Agent for the "WEED" Sewing Machine, Rochester Pa. jy13:6m

Miscellaneous.

S. & J. Snellenburg, Merchant Tailors and Clothiers, Broadway, New Brighton.

Sept. 14, 1870—1y.

REMOVAL.

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A General Stock of MERCHANDISE

Having received from the East, within a few days past, a fine selection of

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To the above articles he has added a choice selection of

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All the above articles will be sold low for cash, or exchanged for country produce. Call and examine his stock and prices. THOMAS ALLISON.

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The undersigned having bought out the Ice Cream Saloon and Confectionery establishment of J. C. Hays, over the Post office, in Rochester, Pa., would respectfully inform the public that he will

Keep the best quality of Ice Cream

during the Summer, and respectfully urges those in want of that article to give him an early call.

His Confectionery department is well stocked; and parties, weddings, &c., will be supplied with everything needed on short notice and in the best of style.

Families furnished with fresh bread as often as desired. GEORGE FREDERICK. may11:1y

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Rags taken in exchange. [sep

J. J. Horter, Dealer in Groceries, Provisions, Hardware, Queensware, Fruits, Meats, &c.

Corner Falls and Broadway, Beaver county, Pa. Terms cash. New Brighton. sep.14'70;1y.

Railroads.

RAILROADS.

PITTS., FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY. On and after June 13th, 1870, Trains will leave Stations daily, (Sundays excepted) as follows.—[Train leaving Chicago at 5.35, P. M., leaves daily.] [Train leaving Pittsburgh at 2.50 P. M., leaves daily.]

TRAINS GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	EXP'S.	EXP'S.	MAIL.	EXP'S
Pittsburgh	1210AM	235PM	645AM	1020AM
Rochester		358	820	1138
Salem	348	550	1021	1270M.
Alliance	515	620	1052	102
Canton	555	714	1215PM	207
Massillon	617	744	1240	215
Orrville	639	818	103	250
Wooster	700	843	1035	320
Mansfield	815	1020	403	546
Crestline { A	840	1050	440	630
Crestline { D	900	1105	500AM	650
Bucyrus	920	1139	528	735
Upper Sandusky	745	1159	555	815
Findlay		1238AM	737	853
Lima	856	120	905	1030
Van Wert		230	1018	1195
Fort Wayne	1035	410	1135	230AM
Columbia		419	1235PM	129
Warsaw		505	130	215
Plymouth	1235PM	625	300	330
Valparaiso		723	430	455
Chicago	250	920	630	690

TRAINS GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	EXP'S.	EXP'S.	MAIL.	EXP'S
Chicago	1130AM	920PM	600AM	535PM
Valparaiso		1149	807	715
Plymouth	150PM	1204M	950	905
Warsaw		310	1053	951
Columbia		419	1153	1050
Fort Wayne	515	615	1240PM	1110
Van Wert		658	212	1224M
Lima	440	805	315	130
Forest		837	347	245
Upper Sandusky	548	1005	503	310
Bucyrus	615	1045	550	352
Crestline { A	640	1115	620	430
Crestline { D	655	1205PM	630AM	430
Mansfield	716	1234	653	500
Wooster	823	1350	800	609
Orrville	848	227	827	645
Massillon	906	258	905	717
Canton	919	313	917	733
Alliance	950	350	1045	820
Salem	1018	423	1140	903
Rochester		605	300PM	1039
Pittsburgh	1220	703	315	1135

Youngstown, New Castle and Erie Express leaves Youngstown at 2.35 p. m; New Castle, 3.15 p. m; arrives at Pittsburgh, 6.50 p. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh 7.15 a. m; arr. at New Castle, 9.50 a. m. Youngstown, 10.40, a. m.

Youngstown, New Castle and Pittsburgh Accommodation leaves Youngstown, 6.30 a. m; New Castle, 9.20 a. m; arrives at Allegheny, 10.10 a. m. Returning leaves Pittsburgh, 3.50 p. m; arrives New Castle 4.30 p. m; Youngstown, 7.00 p. m.

F. R. MYERS, *General Passenger and Ticket Agent.*

CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD. On and after May 29th 1870, trains will leave Stations daily (Sundays excepted) as follows.

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	EXP'S.	ACCOM
Cleveland	815AM	1230PM	345PM
Euclid Street	836	1241	356
Hudson	930	135	457
Ravenna	1004	205	529
Alliance	1100	314	620
Bayard	1128	340	
Wellsville	105PM	427	

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	EXP'S.	ACCOM
Wellsville	855AM	450PM	
Bayard	1025	608	
Alliance	1115	635	725AM
Ravenna	1225PM	705	815
Hudson	1237	813	855
Euclid Street	141	908	956
Cleveland	155	920	1010

GOING EAST.

STATIONS.	EXP'S		MAIL.	ACCOM
Bellair	545AM	725AM	200PM	605PM
Bridgeport	555	815	210	615
Steubenville	700	1100	315	730
Wellsville	815	1225PM	445	
Smith's Ferry	840	146	508	
Beaver				
Rochester	925	220	550	
Pittsburgh	1035	325	655	

GOING WEST.

STATIONS.	MAIL.	EXP'S.	ACCOM	ACCOM
Pittsburgh	725AM	345PM	400PM	605PM
Rochester	735	350	530	
Beaver				
Smith's Ferry	817	430	611	
Wellsville	830	505	655	
Steubenville	950	605		705AM
Bridgeport	1100	710		815
Bellair	1110	720		830

* This is a mixed train to Wellsville and an express train from Wellsville to Pittsburgh.

TUSCARAWAS BRANCH.

Leaves	Arrives
N. Philadelphia, 640 a. m.	Bayard, 945, a.m.
Bayard, 1150a.m.	N. Philadelphia, 340pm

F. R. MYERS, General Ticket Agent.

Miscellaneous.

HENRY MERZ, Dealer in Boots, Shoes, Slippers and Gaiters. Boots and shoes made to order. Long experience in the business enables him to do work in a superior manner. Terms moderate. Shop on Third street (near Rev. Miller's Bookstore), Beaver, Pa. Give him a call before purchasing elsewhere. apr1,1870:1y

Blank Commitments for sale at the Argus office.

Gold & Silver Watches.

IMPORTANT TO EVERY ONE!

Look at Price Lists.

AMERICAN WATCHES:

Waltham	$17 00
Elgin	24 00
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All the above are in Coin Silver Cases, and are good and reliable time-keepers.

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Dollared Lever	$23 00
Detached Lever (Extra)	26 00
Geneva (Enameled)	32 00
Geneva (Best)	38 00

These all have Solid Gold Cases, and are full jewelled movements; and, as hundreds can testify, are a splendid time-piece.

GENTS' SILVER WATCHES:

Detached Lever (Gold joints)	$17 00
Detached Lever (Fine)	18 00
Detached Lever (Medium)	15 00
Geneva Lepine	12 00

Special indestructible fire offered in these Watches, which are pure Silver, and perfectly reliable for time.

I will send, [C. O. D.] by Express, any of the above Watches, with *Guard* and *Key*, and written guarantee. My dealings are fair and honorable, and will be found satisfactory to all. Send along your orders at once, and save by the C. O. D. plan from 20 to 60 per cent. Address

E. P. ROBERTS, Successor to J. M. ROBERTS, *No. 16 Fifth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.* Oct5:3m

Dry Goods.

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Brown and Black Muslins, Drillings, Ticklings, Prints, Canton Flannels, Jeconets, Table Linen, Irish Linen, Crash, Counterpanes. Hosiery, Gloves & Mits.

Groceries,

Coffee, Teas, Sugar, Molasses, White Silver Drips, Golden and Common Syrups, Mackerel in barrels and kits, Star and Tallow Candles, Soap, Spices and Mince Meat. Also, SALT.

Hardware, Nails, Glass,

Door Locks, Door Latches, Hinges, Screws, Table Cutlery, Table and Tea Spoons, Sleigh Bells, Coal Boxes, Fire Shovels and Pokers, Nails and Glass, Spades, Shovels, 2, 3 and 4 Tine Forks, Rakes, Scythes and Snaths, Corn and Garden Hoes.

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Buckets, Tubs, Churns, Butter Prints and Ladles

CARBON OIL,

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Boots and Shoes

LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDRENS' SHOES, in great variety.

Rifle Powder and Shot,

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Flour Feed & Queensware.

By close attention to business, and by keeping constantly on hand a well assorted stock of goods of all the different kinds usually kept in a country store, the undersigned hopes in the future as in the past to merit and receive a liberal share of the public patronage.

B. S. RANGER.

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Affording facilities for acquiring a thorough practical business education, possessed by no other School in the country.

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N. B.—Circulars with full particulars and all necessary information, on addressing SMITH & COWLEY, Principals, PITTSBURGH, Pa. jan19:1y.

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Dentistry.

Dr. J. Mulvey, of Bridgewater, is determined that no Dentist in the State shall do work better or cheaper than he offers it to his patrons. He uses the best materials manufactured in the United States. Gold and silver filling performed in a style that defies competition. Satisfaction guaranteed in all operations, or the money returned. Give him a trial. feb2:1y

ARTIFICIAL TEETH PERFECTED. E. J. & H. J. CHANDLER have purchased the exclusive right of Beaver county to use Dr. Stock's Patent by which they can get up Vulcanite at this as Gold Plate, with a beautiful enameled polish; and so light and elastic as to perfectly adapt itself to the mouth, obviating all that clumsy and bulky condition, so much complained of heretofore; and lessening their liability to break 100 per cent. Indeed, no one seeing, it would be willing to wear the old style plate any longer than they could conveniently get them exchanged. All branches of Dentistry performed in the best and most scientific manner. In filling teeth with gold, etc., we challenge competition from any quarter, and can refer to living subjects whose fillings have stood between thirty and forty years. Among the number Hon. John Allison will exhibit fillings we inserted some 32 years ago. Our teeth as perfect as the day they were filled. Laughing Gas prepared on a new plan, freeing it from all unpleasant and dangerous effects, making the extraction of teeth a pastime of pleasure rather than of horror and pain. Prices as low as any good dentist in the State. Office at Beaver Station, Rochester Pa.

nov2:1y E. J. & H. J. CHANDLER.

LOOK HERE.

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.—The undersigned begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally that he has just received a new stock of goods of the latest styles for Spring and Summer wear, which he offers at very moderate rates.

GENTLEMENS FURNISHING GOODS.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Clothing made to order on the shortest notice. Thankful to the public for past favors, I hope by close attention to business to merit a continuance of the same.

DANIEL MILLER, *PA. BRIDGE ST., BRIDGEWATER.* mar 24:tf

SELECT MISCELLANY.

THE STONE VAULT.

I have been with Morris & Grinby thirty-five years, come the first of next month. I was forty when I came here, and so I have a habit of being exact about dates. I am now within a few weeks of seventy-five. But as for being old, bless you, I'm younger than the youngest clerk; Tom Codgers, who, what with late suppers and hard drinking, has a hand that shakes like those old ledger leaves blowing in the wind by the open window yonder.

Cold water, early hours and temperance in all things keep a man hale his life through. If you don't believe that, look at me; I'm an example, sir. Yes, I have seen changes here. The firm was "Morris, Grinby & Bloom" when I came, though young Bloom died three months after, and young Grinby was taken into partnership. We had a fire there, too, and the offices have been rebuilt on a different plan. Ah, yes! changes enough, sad and pleasant; but the strangest and saddest of all was what happened to poor Ben Wade.

Ah, dear me! It did seem hard, very hard, looking at it with human eyes, and forgetting, as we are apt to that God does everything for the best.

Perhaps you don't know how this house is built. It's an old place, although the front and offices are new, and those great balustrades were only put up last year. Down below you can judge how very old it is. Such a cellar, sir—such massive walls, and all paved with stone; and below the cellar a small stone vault, which Codgers, who laughs at serious things, says the old firm built to be buried in. My own opinion is, it was intended to conceal valuables, for it has a grate and plated door and three locks, each fastened with a different key—that is, if they were ever fastened at all. The vault was disused long before my time. Well, sir, I hadn't been here six months, when one day or rather one evening, for it was nearly six—merchants kept late hours in those days—I had occasion to go down into the cellar before going home, to give directions to the porter about some bales to be sent up in the early morning next day.

Mike and I were up at the north end of the cellar, where the bales were, and I was giving him my orders, when at my elbow, as it seemed, I heard an odd sound—a kind of wheezing cough, smothered in a moment.

I looked around, there was nobody there—not a soul; and I thought how our ears deceived us; but I'm sure, and went on talking. But I give you my word I hadn't spoken three words when there was that sound again. It quite startled me.

"Mike," said I, "did you cough?"

"No, sir," said Mike. "I thought your honor did."

"It must be imagination, or come from the office overhead," I said, but just then ough—ough! We both heard it.

"It's no good yer honor," said, Mike.

"There's some one coughing in the cellar," said I.

So, with Mike's lantern, we went over the great stone-paved place, looking behind boxes, bales, and under the steps and up the coal slide. But not a soul did we find, until, passing the door of the vault, I heard it, this time very faint and strange, and called out to Mike:

"Whoever it is, is locked in the vault."

And with that we both threw our shoulders forward, and bolted into Mr. Grinby's office together. The old gentleman, Grinby senior. He don't come to the office once a year now, for he's past ninety. Old Mr. Grinby was just locking his desk and buttoning his overcoat. He stared at us through his glasses and ejaculated:

"Bless me, Humphries, is the house on fire?"

"No, sir," said I, "but, there is some one hidden in the stone vault."

"Bah!" said Mr. Grinby, "I thought you had more sense, Mr. Humphries, no one could exist ten minutes in that stone vault. It is next thing to air-tight."

"It's my belief, sir, that whoever it is, may be choking to death, sir," I said; "but there is some one there, Mike heard a cough as well as I."

"Very well," said Mr. Grinby "call the nearest constable, Mike, and—Mr. Morris, are you in your office, sir?" Perhaps you'll come down with us and assist in the capture of a burglar Mr. Humphries has discovered in the airtight stone vault below the cellar."

He was very satirical; so was Mr. Morris. But we all went down, together, the constable with us, and stopped before the stone vault. The door was shut so tightthat it took all Mike's strength to fore it open; and Mr. Grinby, looking straight before him, shouted:

"Ha, ha, nobody, as I told you."

But the next minute he saw what the rest of us had already seen, a bundle of rags in one corner of the vault, down on the floor. And amidst the rags was a white face and a thin hand, and a bare, bruised and bleeding foot. And we dragged out into such air as there was in the cellar a miserable wretch of a little boy who seemed quite dead.

Up in the office, however, we bro't him to life, and got the story from him. He lived, it seems, amongst thieves, and they had planned to rob us that night, and he poor little midge, had slipped in somehow, and hidden in the cellar, to open the door for them, never thinking any one would come there that night.

But when Mike and I went down he took to the vaults and there would have smothered but for my hearing him. I don't care to tell you how we kept him and filled the place with constables, who, when the burglars came, pounced upon them and took them into custody. You can guess all that. You can get all that. It is the boy I have to tell you about—poor Ben Wade. I came out during the investigation consequent upon the arrest that the poor child was kept amongst the thieves by force, and that they used him cruelly. A ruffian of the gang had once broken his leg in a drunken fury and he limped yet from the injury. He was such a pale, worn, miserable thing, that every one felt merciful to him, and it was decided to pardon him and send him to the poor house.

But that very morning Grinby, junior—a young man—came into the office where his father sat and put his hand upon his arm.

"Father," says he, "I want to ask you a favor. I want my own way in one thing."

"Well," said the old gentleman, "let me hear it."

"I want to make Ben Wade into this house as an errand boy," said young Mr. Grinby.

"Hey?" said the old gentleman, "what, a poor housebreaker as errand boy. Has my son?"

"Father," said young Grinby, "the boy is naturally a good boy. I like him, I want to save him. Perhaps, if I had not good a father to guide me and to care for me, I might have been worse than he. I don't ask you to trust him, sir. I only ask leave to trust him myself. I am sure the will prove serving of confidence."

Old Mr. Grinby then took out his snuff box, looked at Mr. Morris.

"I've noted the lad's eye; it's a good one, sir," said Mr. Morris.

"It's a fair," said Mr. Grinby, "but we'll say der."

And I supse the result was what young Grinby wanted, for little Ben Wade came to us the next Monday.

Now he was clean and whole, he did not look so bad, and good food and no abuse made a difference in him in a week.

In a month or so people stopped predicting that young Grinby would repent some day, and in a year I do not think there was one in the office who didn't love that boy. So grateful, and so trustworthy, and so ready to do every thing for every one. Young Mr. Grinby had him taught, and well taught, too. The lightning calculator might beat him, but I doubt it; and I never knew that lad to forget to dot his i's or cross his t's, in all my acquaintance with him after he had learned to write at all.

At twenty he was one of the best clerks in our establishment, besides being as fine a looking young fellow as one would wish to see. On the whole, I did not wonder that Miss Lucy Evans took a fancy to him—a slater, sir, of one of the young fellows at our place, and a girl who looked like a queen, and was as good as she was handsome.

I used to meet them walking on the battery where lovers used to walk in those days. He was so fond and proud of her, and she had such a tender way of looking at him, that they made my old heart young again, as I often told Mrs. Humphreys, to whom I always confide everything. And how he reverenced her; why a ribbon, or a faded flower, that she had worn, were cherished by him as a miser cherishes his gold.

At last he told me, in confidence—for her name was sacred and not to be spoken before every one—that they were to be married.

"And when I look back, sir," said he, "and remember the miserable years of my wretched childhood and think how friendless and forlorn I was, and how there was nothing before me but a prison or the gallows, and think that now I have everything to make man's life blessed—the power to win a respectable livelihood, the respect of honest men, and the love of such a girl as Lucy—I can never be too grateful to the kind friend who saved me from a life I dare not contemplate. God bless Mr. Grinby!" said he, lifting his hat reverently as he might in church, and there was a prayer in his dark eyes as he looked upward.

Those were the last words I ever heard him speak, except "Good night." Ah, dear me, it should have been good bye. Ten minutes after I went one way and he the other. I took my way home, and he, as it seemed afterwards, walked just two blocks and then came back here. At twelve o'clock that night I awoke Mrs. Humphries.

"My dear," said I, "I must have had the nightmare or something."

"Good gracious," said she, "it seems so. Your hands are like ice. What gave it to you, love? The lobster, I'll be bound."

"Perhaps," said I. "I admit I ate a late hearty supper. And nothing else could make me fancy young Wade at my bedside, white as a ghost, with both hands on my breast."

"Ah, but the nightmare is always black, not white," said my wife. And then she went to a little cupboard and brought me a glass of wine. After that I went to sleep again.

I did not rise early, and was quite behind my usual time. But when I reached our place I found it in great commotion. Clerks running thither and thither, and heads of the firm standing about in the most unbusiness like manner, and policemen on the premises.

"What is the matter, sir?" I said, addressing Mr. Grinby.

"Matter enough," said he; "we've been very heavily robbed."

"I fancied that couldn't happen here," said I. "I really believe it would be impossible for burglars to break into Morris, Grinby & Son's sir."

"Ah," said he, "they did not break in. The door has been quietly opened from the inside."

"And I believe—," began Mr. Morris.

"Sir," cried young Mr. Grinby, out of breath, "I beg as a gentleman, as a man of principle, you will not give utterance to your unfounded suspicion—totally unfounded and unworthy of you."

"Prove them so, sir," said Mr. Morris, coolly, "and I'll apologize."

I looked an inquiry.

"Don't ask explanation, I beg, Mr. Humphries," said Mr. Grinby. "Something has been said, which the speaker will regret. Ah, there comes my messenger."

And in ran one of our boys.

"Well, Tom?" said Mr. Grinby.

"Mr. Wade ain't been home all night, sir, said Tom.

"I told you so, said Mr. Morris.

"And I tell you even yet I will not hear my dear friend's—yes, my very dear friend's—character aspersed, "said young Grinby. "Humphries, I know you love Ben Wade, as I do. Fancy imagining him connected with this robbery. As well suspect my father, myself or you."

"He's missing?" said Mr. Morris, shutting the office door upon us three. "He was seen to return late in the evening. He was one of a band of house-breakers when we took him in, and many declare the character to be formed at six years old. He was nine. I believe he has been won back to his old ways."

"You will not express your belief to others," said Mr. Grinby.

"Not as yet, most certainly," said Mr. Morris.

"Well, sir, that was a bitter day to me—a bitter day. We could learn nothing of young Wade after eight o'clock on the previous night. Then several had seen him. He had taken tea at a little coffee house, as he sometimes did when he did not intend to return home until quite late, and said to some one there, "I must go back to the office, I have forgotten something."

Half an hour afterwards Mike, the porter, had passed into the street, and young Wade had said:

"What's the time, Mike?"

The porter told him,

"I shall be too late," he said; "I have an engagement, and must go back to our place for a parcel I've forgotten."

An apple woman on the corner had seen him enter. He often bought fruit from her for lunch and she knew him well by sight.

There the news ended, until Mike, going in to light the fires, found the place a scene of confusion—desks and safes rifled, papers strewn about, and every mark of systematic burglary.

Later in the day, Lucy Evans came down. Her brother had sent her word of what had occurred. She believed some terrible accident had happened to Ben, and begged the firm to spare no efforts to discover him. She was almost distracted, and who can wonder. They had been going together, it seemed, to see some play the night before, and she had been sufficiently alarmed by his failing to keep the appointment, to be in a measure prepared for worse. She knew he intended to bring her a book. He had spoken of it. That must have been the parcel he went back for. Of course she never doubted him, and no one dared to hint at what had been whispered in her presence.

For weeks, sir, the authorities were at work. Imm

The Beaver Argus.

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REPUBLICAN TICKET, 1870.

For Congress:
JOSEPH B. DONLEY, of Greene Co.

For Assembly:
THOMAS J. CHANDLER,
DEMAS M. LETHERMAN,
WILLIAM A. MICKEY.

For Prothonotary:
JOHN CAUGHEY.

For Commissioner:
SAMUEL TORRENCE.

For Jury Commissioner:
JAMES WARNOCK.

For Poor House Director:
HIRAM REED.

For Auditor:
J. H. CHRISTY.

For Trustees of Academy:
REV. R. G. CRICHLOW,
M. DARRAGH.
DR. JOHN MURRAY.

THE following is the genuine Republican ticket, a majority of the *Republicans* having so determined on the 28th of May. Compare this one with your ballot before voting:

Congress—Joseph B. Donley.
Assembly—Thomas J. Chandler.
Demas M. Letherman.
William A. Mickey.
Prothonotary—John Caughey.
Commissioner—Samuel Torrence.
Jury Commissioner—James Warnock.
Poor House Director—Hiram Reed.
Auditor—James H. Christy.
Trustees of Academy—Madison Darragh, Benjamin C. Critchlow, John Murray.

Do you want further trouble and agitation on the question of reconstruction? If so, vote for McClelland. If not, vote for your nominee, Mr. Donley. No selling the latter for votes for Dr. Shurlock.

REMEMBER, that Chandler offered on behalf of those who voted for him at the primary meetings, to withdraw from the canvass, providing Shurlock's friends would withdraw his name; and let the County Committee place the name of some person on the ticket for Assembly who could unite the strength and harmonize the action of the Republican party. This proposition was refused by those who are bent upon *forcing a fraudulent* nominee upon the party. Vote for Chandler, and rebuke this cohort of corruptionists.

THE only opposition to the Railroad on the south-side of the Ohio, will proceed from the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. It runs and operates the Ft. Wayne & Chicago Railroad, with which the new road comes in competition.—*Radical.*

Now read the following, taken from another column of the same issue of the *Radical.*

"We drew up the charter, inserted four or five Beaver men as corporators, put in *Scott* and *Cameron* to prevent the opposition of the Pennsylvania Railroad ring, and gave it to Dr. Shurlock, telling him that if it was passed at once under a suspension of the rules we could build that long-talked-of railroad."

There's frankness, consistency and richness strangely blended! Building "the long-talked-of Railroad" on the south-side of the Ohio river, with Tom Scott and Don Cameron as corporators, who are operating the Ft. Wayne road,—a rival to the south-side route, and just on the opposite side of the river—is rich beyond description. Comment is not needed.

Do you want an attempt made in Congress, to disfranchise the colored race, and again fill the country with blood and strife? If so, vote for McClelland for Congress. If not, don't sell Capt. Donley for votes for Shurlock, the fraudulent nominee.

"If a single candidate fails this year, we would not give a picayune for a Republican nomination next summer."—*Radical.*

The *Radical* must think its readers are easily gulled. A "ring," similar to the Quay-Rutan-Shurlock combination existed in Lawrence county for several years. That combination was so overbearing in its deportment, and so prone to nominate corrupt and inefficient candidates for public offices, that the Republican masses revolted last year, defeated two of their most supple tools and smashed the "ring" all to athoms. Since then the "ring men" in that county have seen the injustice and impolicy of their course, and have shown a less tyrannical disposition than they have for years before. In fact that defeat settled things in Lawrence county, and this year the party there is compact, and its members are laboring shoulder to shoulder against the Democracy.

The defeat of Dr. Shurlock, in this county, this year, insures us peace in local politics next summer. Frauds will not be attempted again, tally and return papers will be suffered to remain at the Co., seat, investigation will be denied no one, and our "ring men" will be forced to the conclusion that unless they do right both at home and at Harrisburg, the people will neither be led by them, nor act with them. This lesson once taught these men, and he is a short-sighted politician who does not see that harmony will soon after be restored to our ranks.

THE last *Radical* has an article on the Southside Railroad bill, attempting to hoodwink the public as to the real purposes of Quay & Co. in introducing it. The principal point of the *Radical's* article is a certificate of obliging generalities, begged by J. S. Rutan from John H. Page, jr., Secretary and Treasurer of the Connellsville Railroad. Mr. Page kindly says to Rutan that even if the Southside bill of Quay & Co., had passed, in his opinion "it could not have affected the building of a branch of the Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad in the same general direction."

Very sweetly said for Mr. Page, and quite soothing to the anguish of our Southside Railroad schemers upon whom the voters of Beaver county are about to pass judgment. But when and where did any railroad bill however mischievous to the public prevent any other railroad from being built "in the same general direction?" Mr. Page's bland proposition to ease the curse off our Southside Railroad ring, by such a statement is as manifestly pointless as it is obliging—as no doubt Mr. Page, like a shrewd railroad manager watching his opponents while not wishing to offend them, intended it should be.

The object of our Southside Railroad schemers, notwithstanding all efforts to hide it, stands out plainly enough. Everybody who knows Quay and the corporators he put into his bill, knows that with the exception of Thomas A. Scott and J. D. Cameron, there is not a railroad man nor a man of capital among them. Scott and Cameron would not favor the building of a railroad on the south side of the Ohio river so as to give the Pittsburgh and Connellsville or the Baltimore, Pittsburgh and Chicago Railroad, an outlet in this direction to the west, because their own railroad interests are opposed to it. The balance of Quay's corporators could not build a mile of railroad and did not propose to try to. But if they could get their bill through the Legislature they would seize upon the most available route for a railroad on the south side of the river, and hold it against any and all companies wanting to build a railroad until they got their price or forced such railroad over an inferior route with the risk of the better route being sometime occupied to the great disadvantage of the first road. No company would like to build the first road under such circumstances, and the consequence would be that Quay and his corporators would get their price from whatever company bid highest whether such company wanted to build the road or prevent its building. Thus Thomas A. Scott would likely be the purchaser of Quay & Co.'s Southside Railroad route to prevent a road being built over it, and force the Baltimore and Connellsville companies to adopt some other "general direction" westward. With money in their pockets our present proposed Southside Railroad corporators could chuckle over the success of their speculation and snap their fingers at those they had cheated with delusive hopes that they would build or even aid in building such a road.

Mr. Quay boasts that he gave $100 toward a survey of the route by the Baltimore, Pittsburgh, and Chicago company. He could afford to give more than that if Shurlock and Rutan could get his little bill through. He wanted to know the best route to Pittsburgh on the south side so as to seize upon it as soon as his bill passed, and wait for the highest bidder. He was sharp enough to know what he was about when he invested that $100 in the survey, and the people are sharp enough to see it too. His legislative antics are the best evidence of his motive for such liberality.

THOSE who are just now so busy in denouncing us as seeking to distract the party in this county, would do well to pause a moment. If the ARGUS, during our connection with it, has ever been false to a solitary principle of the Republican party, or acted treacherously with any of its candidates, or bartered with the enemy, let it be shown. If those men in our midst who assume to manage our party affairs, were actuated by right motives, and labored for the interests of the party, and behaved themselves as honest politicians ought to do, there would be no crying necessity for the course we have been compelled to take. We seek to *save* not *destroy* the party—to purge it of traitors, and schemers—to rebuke those who have shown themselves unworthy of our confidence—to wrest the party, now almost in its last extremity, from the grasp of those, who by rascalities of the deepest dye, have brought it to the verge of destruction, and if possible bring it back to what it was a year or two ago, when as Republicans we all stood shoulder to shoulder in an honest and earnest struggle for principle, and went to the polls enthusiastically, and not reluctantly, as now, when great wrongs must be endured, trickery smoothed over, fraudulent nominations acquiesced in, principles wholly discarded, and the party simply held together and kept in the ascendancy for the sole purpose of carrying out the plans, and enriching unprincipled political traders. With principles such as the Republican party has successfully established, and with a record such as no party ever before made, if left alone, it would run of itself, would continue to gather strength year by year, and could safely defy the assaults of the enemy for the next generation at least. But, bold bad men have prostituted it to their own base uses, have almost hopelessly divided us, and unless they are crushed and cast aside, its days, we fear, are well nigh numbered. We have taken our position, disagreeable as it is, believing it to be *right*, and shall maintain it regardless of consequences, washing our hands of all responsibility, and throwing it upon those to whom it rightfully belongs. Let those men who have grown gray, and talked themselves hoarse in denouncing corruption, fraud, and rings, bolster up, if they choose, these tricksters who have brought the party to such an unfortunate pass. Time will show them clearly, that it is better far to pursue the Right, than to uphold the Wrong, and wrong-doers.

REMEMBER that a vote for Chandler, next Tuesday, is a vote cast against the disruption of the Republican party, and to secure honesty in future nominations. Political intrigue, and domineering arrogance, must be checked.

LET IT BE distinctly and promulnently understood, that the "ring," who are engineering Dr. Shurlock's canvass for the Legislature, have been convicted beyond all successful contradiction, of having sold out the party last year, (in the matter of Sheriff) for the very purpose of placing Shurlock's election *beyond doubt*; for they were apprehensive of defeat, so obnoxious was their candidate to many of the Republican party.

THE *Radical* has for a short time been offering $100 for any one who was induced by Dr. Shurlock to vote for John Graebing. The offer was seen and claimed, under affidavit, a few days ago, by Wm. H. Sutherland formerly a dentist of this place. Mr. Sutherland swears positively that Dr. Shurlock last fall gave him a Republican ticket with Graebing's name in it and requested him to vote for Graebing, which he did on the Dr.'s request. But Mr. Sutherland could not get the money. In the first place it was never on deposit at the *Radical* office to be paid out if claimed. The offer was mere bluff and bravado. In the next place no claimant, with any amount of evidence whatever could get the money, because if the ring were to pay it, it would be an open acknowledgement that Shurlock was guilty and ought to retire from the canvass. This would be self-murder to the ring at once. It will play at almost anything rather than kill itself. Mr. Sutherland has succeeded, however, in exploding the bubble with which the ring had enveloped Shurlock and exposed him as he is, together with the duplicity of his keepers.—Read the evidence.

THE DUTY OF VOTERS.

The New York "Tribune's" Advice—Scratch off Every Dishonest or Unfit Man.

"No Matter for the Consequences."

Don't Vote for "a Thief or a Fool Because of His Politics!"

[From the N. Y. Tribune, Wednesday Sept. 28.]

"We ask no one to support an incapable or unworthy candidate for office *because he is called a Republican and has a regular nomination. On the contrary, we urge every voter to strike from his ballot any name which he knows to be that of a dishonest or unfit man*, NO MATTER FOR THE CONSEQUENCES. Conventions and wire-workers must be taught that such nominations will not answer, and this is the way to teach them. Do not ask us to particularize and denounce—for the friends of the bad candidates would resent such denunciation by striking at the good ones—but do you make due inquiry, and *scratch off every bad man's name from the ballot which you vote.* The immediate consequence may be disagreeable, but the ultimate effect will be wholesome and beneficent. Understand, then, once for all, that we do not wish you to vote for *a thief or a fool because of his politics.* If any Republican nominee is unworthy you cannot better serve the Republican cause than by *refusing to vote for him*, and thus compelling better nominations hereafter.

"But there are those who, disgusted with a bad name on the ticket of their party, refuse to vote at all; and that is every way wrong and mischievous. It does nothing toward securing better nominations in future, since the good nominees suffer equally with the bad ones. It involves the repudiation of a grave public duty on a pretext utterly insufficient if not wholly irrelevant.

"If every voter would religiously exercise his right of suffrage at each election, taking care *to scratch from his ballot each and every name which ought not to be there*, whether he put a good name in its place or not, we should soon have the right sort of nominees every time. *Unprincipled aspirants would no longer pack primary meetings and buy nominations*, if the inevitable result would be their disgraceful defeat. Let us all resolve to *scratch every bad nominee*, but take scrupulous care to vote for every good one!"

Do you wish to see the State revenue divided among faithless and corrupt politicians, instead of being honestly appropriated to legitimate objects? If so, vote for the *fraudulent* nominee for Assembly, Dr. Shurlock. If not vote for the legitimate nominee—T. J. Chandler.

FOR many years Cassius M. Clay of Kentucky, almost solitary and alone, voted the Liberty ticket in his own State. He went to the polls frequently with his ballot in one hand and his revolver in the other, and while mobs were cursing and howling he deposited his vote as he thought would best subserve the public welfare. It required moral as well as physical courage to do that, there, but the great Kentuckian had both, and but few men now living enjoy more of the world's respect and admiration than himself. We have no Cassius M. Clays among us here, neither have we trials similar to his to pass through, yet it will take a *little* moral courage on next Tuesday to vote the clean white ballots when the colored ones are thrust into our faces. Let us show the political gamblers of our county that the number of Republicans who have pluck enough to do this on that day is not so small as they affect to believe.

WHAT claim has any Democratic politician to the vote of a member of the Republican party? For years they have denounced and villified us with the epithets of "fanatics, scoundrels, thieves, murderers, traitors" and every other opprobrious name which their imagination could suggest; and they hope for a partial success this fall in this Congressional District, by selling Democratic votes for Shurlock for Republican votes for M'Clelland. Republicans will you ratify this unholy alliance sought to be entered into between Shurlock's friends and the Democrats?

WE have alluded elsewhere to the printing of the Republican tickets at *Philadelphia.* The motive for this we are left to surmise. Going abroad for tickets, with two Republican papers at hand, is something unheard of, and well calculated to excite suspicion. There is either some hidden treachery at the bottom of the proceeding, or there is to be some peculiarity about the ticket, which the ring managers intend to use as a party lash to whip Republicans into the support of Dr. Shurlock, and deter them from exercising their rights as freemen, and voting in accordance with their wishes. We put it to high minded men whether they are ready to submit to such contemptible tyranny? If the tools or the dupes of these unprincipled tricksters confront you at the polls, and seek to influence you unduly, or endeavor to "mark" you, or threaten you with political consequences in the future, rebuke them as they deserve. Open a book for future use also. Bury the names of all such deep in your memory. Say to them in language they cannot misunderstand, that if political graves are to be dug for men who dare to do what they deem to be right that *other* graves will be placed alongside of them, for the reception of those who are giving countenance to the most glaring frauds, inflicting an irreparable wrong upon the party, and upholding a lot of as unscrupulous traders as ever cursed any party or any community. Let them know that you have taken the position immovably that the party must be purged, or it is lost—that we can follow traitors to principle and their fellow candidates no longer—that we must have *fair* nominations or none at all—that we want legislators who will look to our interests and the development of our material wealth—and not the fixing-up of private jobs, nor "South-side Railroad charters," nor "sand-bar" speculations. Let them understand, distinctly, that you follow Greeley's advice, and will surely *"scratch every bad man's name from the ticket"*—and the consequences be upon the heads of those guilty schemers who have forced us into our present lamentable political condition. Give "mark" for "mark," and the promise of grave for grave, with the fullest assurance that *Right* will surely triumph in the end, and that *Wrong* and the aiders and abettors of *wrong-doers* will at last sink down so deep that they can rise no more.

IF the persons—"the ring"—who are endeavoring to force the fraudulent nomination of Dr. Shurlock upon the Republican party of the county, are guilty of having "sold out" the office of Sheriff, last year; what security have we that the same game will not be played this year? It is beyond question that "the ropes" are now laid to defeat—if possible—the election of the one-armed Soldier, Torrence, for Commissioner in order to get Democratic votes for Shurlock. Let the people ponder these facts before voting to sustain the "ring."

We thank Gen. Grant sincerely for this positive order. As in the days of rebellion we felt the strength of his relentless will on the foes of our country, so now do we experience the sensation of gratitude for his command, as relentless, that *treason* in our camp shall be punished.—*Beaver Radical.*

Gen. Grant always fought the enemy squarely and in good faith. He formed no *alliances* with them, was guilty of no midnight *intrigues*, was never known to *trade off* any of his colleagues, and never even suspected of *conspiring* against either the Union cause or the Republican party. What then, would he be likely to think and say, if he was made aware of the fact that Mr. Quay had made the declaration that a certain candidate whose name was flying at the mast-head of his paper *must* be defeated—that the name of Mr. Graebing, a Democrat, was inserted in the body of a Republican ticket—that toasts to his success were drunk by Messrs. Rutan and Shurlock—that the defeat of Arthur Shields, a brave soldier and worthy man, was chuckled over—that Mr. Graebing's office since then has become one of the headquarters of these gentlemen—that they have taken him into their political confidence—that he assists them in making such nominations, in both parties, as they desire—that he pays for German Republican communications, written for their benefit—and that they stand ready, at any time to enter into kindred negotiations with the common enemy, in order to advance their purposes, provided they can do so, without the fear of detection. Would the General be likely to regard such conduct and such declarations as *loyal*—or would he not be very apt to characterize the whole thing as *treason* of the most infamous charater? What punishment, think you, would he be likely to mete out to the guilty parties?

TRUTH and fair dealing must be substituted as cardinal principles by the Republican party, or the party must cease to exist. The running of Dr. Shurlock, when he was clearly not nominated by the party, is a wide departure from truth and fair-dealing, and is a blow dealt directly at the life of the party. Ought he to receive the votes of honest Republicans under the circumstances? Those wishing to keep the party pure must think of this at the polls.

IN the last eighteen months of Andrew Johnson's administration the expenses of the Government were nearly $83,000,000 greater than in the first eighteen month of Grant's administration. In the former case the parties who engineered the machine were Democrats; in the latter they are Republicans. Tax-payers will note this and vote for Capt. Donley for Congress, Democratic rule may have some advantages to those who hold office but the people cannot afford to pay $83,000,000 every eighteen months. A vote for M'Clelland will help to reproduce this state of affairs. No trading off Donley for Shurlock votes.

ONE of Shurlock's friends in this borough said on last Saturday that Shurlock and Jackson would both be elected, and that one of the Washington county nominees (Mickey or Letherman) would be defeated. When pressed to know which of the Washington county men was to be defeated he declined to give the name but insisted that one of them would "go under." His declaration goes to show that certain Republicans here are going *against* one of our candidates for the Legislature, in order to get certain Democrats to go for Shurlock. Republicans have nothing to do with these trades. They are simply dishonorable and none but political scallawngs set them up. Vote for Chandler, Mickey and Letherman, and all will be well.

AT the time when the returns of the primary elections were coming in, last May, they were principally brought into M. S. Quay's office on Sunday. On the evening of that day the prospect looked very equally for Dr. Shurlock as Dr. Chandler seemed ahead. Quay declared then that Dr. Chandler's name should never appear as a candidate in the *Radical*, no matter what the result might be. This is truth, and, being true, how dares he now accuse any one of lack of party fealty who does not support Shurlock—honest Republicans, too, who are satisfied that Shurlock was not nominated?

We repeat that Shurlock did not receive a majority of the Republican votes cast last May. Chandler did receive such majority. This the editor of the *Radical* is fully aware of. But he is determined that his destructive programme shall be carried out—that Chandler's name shall never appear in the *Radical* as the candidate of the party, although he was fairly nominated by the party.

THE situation of the ring is desperate. Quay declared that if Shurlock were not nominated, last May, his opponent, Dr. Chandler, should not have the support of the *Radical*. That is to say the Republican party *must not* nominate anybody but Shurlock. If the party did, its nominee should be defeated if the *Radical* could do it. And Quay now declares that if Shurlock is not elected the Republican party in this county is dead. The ring thus forces its candidates upon the party. "Rule or ruin" as the proposition of the ring, to be accepted or rejected by the party, could not be more clearly put. Is it not time such unbearable insolence were buried in the same grave with the smashed ring and the politically rotten candidates it insists upon nominating and electing? For the future health of the party let it be so done on next Tuesday.

WE have it, on evidence that is entitled to the most implicit credence, that an arrangement has been entered into by which, Mr. Donley—Republican candidate for Congress in this District—is to be sacrificed to Mr. M'Clelland, Democratic candidate for the same office, in order to secure the votes of the latter's friends for Shurlock. There is no political knavery to which this unprincipled "ring" will not resort. Look out for them.

IT is a singular peculiarity of the clique of political wire-workers who have undertaken to run the Republican party of this county, that they select for sacrifice on the altar of their political Deity—to secure his aid in behalf of the success of Shurlock—the brave Soldier who fought for his principles on the ensanguined battlefield; who left a portion of his body there in attestation of his devotion to the principles of Republicanism. Shields was the victim last year; Torrence is singled out for this. Vote the entire Republican ticket, with the regular nominee—T. J. Chandler—for Assembly, and rebuke this treachery.

WE referred last week to the fact that Mr. M. S. Quay was getting the Shurlock tickets for this county printed at Philadelphia. This movement, we knew, was a suspicious one, but at that time we could not exactly determine what there was in it. Since then however, we have come into possession of information which leads us to believe that the purpose is to have all the Shurlock tickets printed on *colored paper.* Red, blue or yellow ballots are to be distributed with Shurlock's name on them in order to intimidate and deter a large number of Republicans from voting *against* Dr. Shurlock who believe it to be their duty to do so. Of course there are a great many men, who have *nerve* enough to vote as they please regardless of *who knows* to whom their vote is given, but there are others who may fear that they will be "marked" in the future in a political sense, and others still who may imagine that their *business* may be injured by the friends of Dr. Shurlock in case they are discovered voting against that gentleman for the Legislature. This is a sharp trick and its intent is to deprive men from honestly and conscientiously discharging their duty at the ballot box. Can it be possible that the chairman of the county committee will lend himself to a scheme the object of which is to *drive* men into the support of Dr. Shurlock, who if not watched hindered or cowed would vote against him? The very purpose of the secret ballot is to permit men to vote for whom they please without being called to account for it afterwards; but this colored ballot trick is intended to force men to vote in a certain way, or in case of their refusal to do so to point them out and subject them to annoyances or the imposition of penalties in the future, for doing what they believed to be right.—If in their political desperation the Shurlock managers attempt so high-handed a measure as this, are the Republicans of the county prepared to submit to it? We think hardly. If, however, it is sought to carry out this infamous programme there are several ways of contributing toward the defeat of the object it has in view:

First, let those who are stiff in the back and who have no fear on the subject, vote the ordinary ballot printed on white paper. We trust all of Dr. Chandler's friends will have the courage todo so.

Second, but if there be those who wish no one to know how they vote let them get one of the colored ballots, take it off to one side, paste Chandler's name over Shurlock's, and then vote it.—Chandler's name printed on a neat slip with mucilage on the opposite side, can be found at all the polls. Be sure and inquire for these slips as soon as you reach the voting place, so that you can direct others to where they may be had.

Third, if these slips have been stolen or mislaid, draw your pencil heavily over Shurlock's name and write Chandler's over it or opposite.

Fourth, if you are so situated that neither of these ways will give you an opportunity of voting for *Chandler*, without getting you into difficulty, take your pencil and simply erase Shurlock's name and vote only for Mickey and Letterman for the Legislature.

Do not be bulld into any man's support. If you are too timid to vote openly as your conscience dictates, do not be weak enough to vote *against* your better judgment.

Republicans there are times when our fidelity to pnciple and courage are tried. The present is one of them. Let us do our duty faithfully, fearlessly and in the language of the New York *Tribune*, "regardless of consequences."

Do you desire reduction of the tariff, such as will destroy our manufacturing interest, and throw thousands of laboring men out of employment? If so vote for Donley for Shurlock—vote for M'Clelland for Congress.

REPUBLICANS—If you desire an increase in premium on gold, and a consequent depreciation in the wages of laboring men, all you have to do is to ratify the nomination of the "ring," who are forcing Shurlock upon the Republican party; abandon Capt. Donley, and vote for M'Clelland for Congress.

EVERY vote cast for Shurlock, on next Tuesday, is a vote to sustain fraudulent nominations; fraudulent voting at primary meetings; packed conventions; smuggling in election papers; stifling investigation; and the subserviency of the Republican party to a clique who will "stop" the bravest soldier on their list to secure the triumph of one who will become a pliant tool in the Legislature to subserve their purposes, filching money from the State Treasury.

If you desire to arrest the payment of the National debt, vote for McClelland; if not, vote for Captain Donley; and send home the representative, of the "rotten ring" of Beaver, who would persuade you, it is much more important to sustain Dr. Shurlock, than Capt. Donley and solicit you to become traitors to your party.

REPUBLICANS, if you desire the final settlement of all the questions growing out of the war on their present basis, and strife and angry discussion cease; if you would have an end of the controversy which has long distracted the nation; if you would have the revenues faithfully collected and applied; if you would have but one currency for the bondholder and the poor man; if you would protect labor and increase employment; if you would speedily reduce the national debt; if you desire to keep the Government in the hands of those who saved it from treason, and have the ability, experience and purpose to make us a quiet, happy and prosperous nation, vote for Donley, Chandler and the regular Republican ticket.

OUR modest friend J. S. Rutan, we are informed, was introducing his favorite candidate for the Legislature during the fair as "Dr. Shurlock, the man the ARGUS is abusing so much." We need scarcely say to our readers that we have abused no man in the ARGUS. We have only referred to individuals at all when it was necessary to do so in order to make ourselves understood. All the abusing that has been done during the present "heated term" came from the other side of the house, and the most of that we understand was from the pen of the meddling Senator himself.

CAN the Republican who remained true to his party during the years when it was obliged to impose heavy burdens on the people in order to suppress a wicked rebellion, afford to desert that party while it is engaged in reducing taxation, paying National and State indebtedness, and leading the country in the way of peace and prosperity? Let no man who voted for Lincoln or Grant, think of voting against Donley for Congress, in order that he may secure a Democratic vote for the fraudulent nominee—Shurlock—for Assembly. Such a course is simply suicidal

DR. SHURLOCK introduced the South Side Railroad bill last session for one of two purposes. First, himself and his corporators either intended to *build* a road down the left bank of the Ohio from Pittsburgh to Beaver, or they intended to obtain possession of that right of way and then *sell* it to some railroad company who desired to lay their track down on that route. "Tom" Scott and "Don" Cameron are the only persons named in the Shurlock bill who *could* build a road of the South Side Railroad and they would not touch it because they are both largely interested in a rod on the right bank of the Ohio. The conclusion is therefore irresistible that their names were put in the bill only to prevent them from opposing its passage through the Legislature, while the real purpose was to blackmail the Baltimore, Pittsburgh and Chicago company for the benefit of Dr. Shurlock and a few of his personal friends. We could have no objection to Messrs. Quay, Shurlock, McKinney & Co. making a nice pile of money, provided they made it legitimately; but when they concoct a scheme to make it at the expense of the people of Beaver county, and return no equivalent for it, it is altogether "a horse of another color."

THE friends of Dr. Shurlock, and particularly that gentleman's organ, the truthful *Radical*, feeling that something must be done to "turn the tide" against us, have been insinuating for some time past that *money* has been given to us, or that we expect to be paid for refusing to support Dr. Shurlock for the Legislature. We trust that with a majority of the people of the county, no denial of this infamous charge, on our part, is necessary; but lest there may be some who can be imposed upon by such insinuations, we have thought it prudent to go before a justice and make the following affidavit:

J. Weyand, editor and proprietor of the Beaver ARGUS, being duly sworn according to law deposes and says: That he has no PERSONAL knowledge that the Pa. Central Railroad Co. desire the defeat of Dr. Shurlock for the Legislature, and that he has never heard of, or seen anything going to show that that corporation was laboring to secure his defeat, except what he has seen in the Beaver RADICAL, and the said deponent further states that he never got, nor expects to get, nor was promised one dollar from that Co., to oppose Dr. Shurlock's election.

Said deponent further states: That neither Gen. Irwin or any one for him, has ever paid the said deponent one dollar or agreed to pay him one dollar or intimated that he would be paid a dollar for withholding his support from Dr. Shurlock for the Legislature; nor does the said deponent EXPECT to get or has he ever been led to expect that he would get a dollar from Gen. Irwin, or from any one else, for declining to favor Dr. Shurlock's election. Deponent further states: That he never in his life received a dollar from any person, company, or corporation for supporting or refusing to support a candidate for a public office. Deponent further states that his true reasons for refusing to enter into the support of Dr. Shurlock have been given from time to time, editorially in the ARGUS, within the past few weeks. J. WEYAND.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 28th day of September, 1870.
ROBERT TALLON, J. P.

THE most unblushing assurance that has yet come to our knowledge, is that exhibited by Messrs. Rutan and Shurlock, and their particular friends, in making urgent appeals to Republicans to stand by the *whole* ticket—and charging us with an attempt to break up the party, because we are not willing longer to follow in their lead, and sanction their political frauds and rascalities. Did any one ever behold such effrontery before? Mr. Rutan's shameless intrigues with Democrats, his base betrayal of his party, and his still baser treachery of his colleague, Mr. Shields has been fastened home upon him so tightly, by the *sworn* testimony of unimpeachable witnesses, that he cannot to his dying day shake it off, nor relieve himself of the odium that thereby attaches itself to his name. Dr. Sutherland, believed in this community to be a man of truth, comes forward, and by solemn oath, declares that Dr. Shurlock presented him with a Republican ticket, containing the name of Graebing, and urged him to vote it! How many others, if any, could testify similarly, we do not know. These gentlemen, aided by Mr. Quay and his *Radical*, have, within the past year or two, by their unscrupulous conduct, about destroyed the party. They have swept away our one thousand majority—have installed a Democrat in the Sheriff's office, and have produced a state of affairs amongst us, hitherto unknown to any political party in the country. Yet, with these facts staring them in the face—having betrayed the party as it was never betrayed before, and reeking all over with treachery, and guilty of the sacrifice of a brave soldier and an upright man, they still have the hardihood to invoke party discipline, to plead for party unity, to ask honest Republicans to overlook their *treason*, to ignore their outrageous practices, and endorse their fraudulent nomination. Can any conscientious, straight-forward, well meaning Republican do so? We think not.

GEN. THOS. J. POWER has for a long time been a prominent member of the Republican party. He stands high among his fellow-citizens, and all acknowledge that he can see as far into a millstone as the most of people. He is a member of the county committee, and was present at the meeting of that body on the 3rd inst., and heard and saw all that occurred at that time. On the question of the fairness of Dr. Shurlock's nomination he wrote the following in last week's ARGUS:

"I do not consider that the nomination was a fair one, though I was disposed to sustain it until I was thoroughly convinced of its unfairness at the meeting of the committee on the 3rd of this month, where every effort was made to prevent a fair investigation."

If Dr. Shurlock's nomination was not a *fair* one, it is in no sense binding upon any Republican in the county, and that it is a fraud, is apparent to every intelligent man who does not try to close his eyes to the ugly fact.

New Advertisements.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY Virtue of sundry writs of Levari Facias, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of the county of Beaver, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House in the borough of Beaver, Beaver county, Pa., on SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29th, 1870, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, all that certain piece of land situate in Ohio township, Beaver county, Pa., described as follows, to wit: being the middle part of the tract numbered three in the plan of said tract by J. G Williard for the heirs of Nicholas Dawson, late of Ohio township, Beaver county, dec'd., beginning at a stake 9 perches from the S. E. corner of lot No. 2, thence by the eastern boundary of said lot No. 2 north 9 perches to a post; thence by the north part of said lot No. 3 east 5 perches to a stake on the line of lot No. 4; thence south with the line of said lot No. 4, 9 perches to a——; thence by the south part of said lot No. 3 west 5 perches to the place of beginning, containing 44 perches with reservation of wood and coal to Browne & Co. and the Resolute Oil Co., they being entitled to the same on a former lease; it being the same piece of land conveyed by Laughlin Elliott & wife to W. O. Cook.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of William O. Cook at the suit of Thomas Dawson.

ALSO, No. 2.

At the same time and place all right, title, interest and claim of defendant, of, in and to the undivided one-fourth in all of that certain piece of land situate in Ohio township, Beaver county, Penn'a., known as lot numbered sixty-one of the subdivision of the lands of Thomas Dawson, lying on Island Run, containing one acre, be the same more or less, with all the appurtenances and improvements thereunto belonging, on which there is a derrick and producing oil well. Seized and taken in execution as the property of John M. Kenny at the suit of Thomas Dawson.

JOHN GRAEBING, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Beaver, Pa., Oct. 5, 1870.—3t

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF BEAVER COUNTY: HALE vs. HALE.
March Term, No. 165. In Divorce.
To Hattie Hale, Respondent:

You are hereby summoned to appear at our next term of Common Pleas, to be holden at Beaver, Pa., on the 3rd Monday of November next, to answer C. E. Hale, the Petitioner in Divorce, at which place you are required to attend if you think best.
oct5—4t JOHN GRAEBING, Sheriff.

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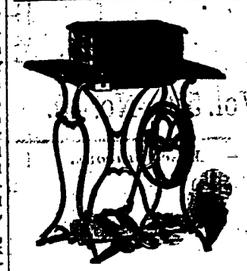

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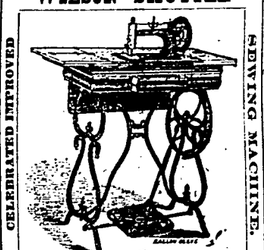

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State of the Thermometer for the week ending October 1st 1870.

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
Sept. 25	65 deg.	79 deg.	68 deg.
" 26	60 deg.	74 deg.	63 deg.
" 27	57 deg.	75 deg.	50 deg.
" 28	55 deg.	70 deg.	67 deg.
" 29	65 deg.	67 deg.	60 deg.
" 30	60 deg.	65 deg.	63 deg.
Oct. 1	63 deg.	68 deg.	63 deg.

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TIME TABLE.

Cleveland & Pittsburgh R. R.—Trains going East leave Beaver Station as follows: Morning Express, 9.17; Evening Express, 8.14; Mail, 5.45 p. m.

Trains going West leave Beaver Station as follows: Mail, 7.43 a. m.; Express, 3.55 p. m.; Accommodation, 5.45 p. m.

Pitt. Ft. W. & C. R. R.—Trains going East leave Rochester Station (at end of bridge) as follows: Beaver Falls Accom. 6.05 a.m.; Enon accom. 7.10 a. m.; New Castle accom. 8.30 a. m.; B. Falls accom. 12.10 p. m.

Trains going West leave Rochester Station, (at end of bridge) as follows: B. F. accom. 10 a. m.; Enon accom. 5.12 p. m.; Erie night express 8.45 p. m.; B. F. accom. 7.37 p. m.

Trains going East leave Rochester (Upper) Depot as follows: B. F. accom. 6.05 a. m.; Enon accom. 7.15 a. m.; New Castle accom. 8.40 a. m.; Erie exp. 9.32 a. m.; Beaver Falls accom. 12.15 p. m.; Chicago Mail 3.05 p. m; Erie exp. 4.10 p. m; Chicago exp. 6.02 p. m; Erie mail 9.55 p. m.

Trains going West, leave Rochester (Upper) Depot as follows: Chicago mail 8.15 a. m.; Erie exp. 8.25 a. m; Beaver Falls accom. 9.55 a. m.; Chicago exp. 11.30 a. m.; Chicago exp. 3.55 p. m; New Castle accom. 4.30 p. m.; Erie exp. 5.45 p. m; Beaver Falls accom. 7.25

Subscriptions to the Beaver Argus.—The following named persons have paid the sums set opposite to their names on subscription to the Beaver Argus, since the date of our last publication.

Jas. C. Farguson, Richland, (O.)	$2.00
John Swick, North Sewickly,	2.00
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James Porter, Bridgewater,	2.00
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James L. Hood, Hookstown,	2.00
Thomas Jackson, Water Cure,	1.00
Mrs. Phillis, Industry,	1.00
S. Mason & Sons, New Brighton,	2.00
James Patterson, New Galilee,	1.10

The attention of the public is directed to the following New Advertisements which appear for the first time in the Argus to-day:

Important—E. P. Roberts.
Card—F. C. Fulton.
Executors' Notice—Robert Jackson.
Advertisements—Danchy & Co.
Sheriff's Sales—John Graebing.
Notice in Divorce—John Graebing.
Advertisements—Rowell.
Special Notice—John Thornley.
Special Notice—Todd & Dawson.
Special Notice—S. & J. Snellenburg.
Special Notice—James Alcorn.
Special Notice—H. Brill.
Special Notice—Robert Harsha.
Special Notice—I. Hanauer.
Special Notices—Schiff & Steinfeld.
Advertisement—Meyran & Siedle.
Public Sale—R. L. Chamberlin.
Agricultural Notice—H. R. Moore, Sec'y.

The Managers of the Beaver County Agricultural Society will meet at the Court House on Wednesday, Oct. 12th, at 10 o'clock a. m. By order,

H. R. Moore, *Sec'y.*

A beautiful stock of Hoop-Skirts and Corsets, at I Hanauer's Bazar of Fashion Bridgewater, Pa. sept. 21:tf

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Woman's Rights.—If women have *not* the right to vote they *have* the right to say that the Improved Wilson Shuttle Sewing Machine is the best in the market, as hundreds are saying to day.

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Velvet Ribbons.—The largest assortment, and the cheapest, are at Bence's, Beaver. sep2:3t

Carpets! Carpets, Oil Cloths and Wall Paper in great variety and at greatly reduced prices, at B. Muhlem's, Bridge st., Bridgewater sept28;2w

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The Fair.—At our time of going to press it is impossible to give any extended notice of the County Fair. We can only say that it was much the largest and most successful in every respect ever held here. In point of attendance, exhibition, and receipts it was a surprising gain.

☞ It is an Established fact that Schiff & Steinfeld has received this Fall the best Assortment of Foreign and Domestic Dress Goods in Beaver Co.

Western Vineyards, Fruit farms and Nurseries. Send ten cents for our descriptive catalogue and guide to the flower garden and fruit culture. Every farmer and fruit grower should have it. Address WESTERN FRUIT Campany, New Castle, Pa., East Palestine, Ohio, or Bloomington, Illinois. (sep28;tf

☞ Did you see those new patterns of Shawls and Knitted Hoods at Schiff & Steinfeld's.

☞ Hats and Bonnets in every variety at Bence's Millinery Establishment Beaver. sept28:3t

New Millinery, fall assortment, not only the first of the season, but the finest stock ever offered in Beaver, at Mrs. E. H. Beacom's. sept28;3t.

New Goods, New goods, at Bence's, Beaver. sep28;3t

Fine fall shawls, an elegant and selected lot, embracing the latest styles worn in the eastern cities, at Mrs. E. H. Beacom's. sept28:3t

☞ Artificial Flowers. Although the French and Prussian war has interfered with the importation of French flowers the Patrons of J. H. Bence's Favorito Millinery and Dry Good Establishment will find an unusual large stock of the article, at remarkably low prices: go see and judge for yourself. sept28:3t.

Lace Collars, paper cuffs, kid gloves, direct from the manufacturers, and at the lowest prices at Mrs. E. H. Beacom's. sept28;3t

☞ Dress Goods, new styles very cheap at Bence's Beaver. sept28:3t

Republican Meeting.—We are requested to state that a meeting of the Republicans of Beaver borough will be held at the Court House on next Saturday evening at 7 p. m., to nominate a borough ticket to be supported at the election on the following Tuesday.

Flowers, plumes and Ribbons, all of the newest selections and of the latest patterns at Mrs. E. H. Beacom's. sep28;3t

Paving Stones.—Mr. David Shumaker, a citizen of this borough, has employed himself the present summer in taking paving stones from Beaver and vicinity, to Pittsburgh. He has had his flats towed up by steamers. His sales have reached the snug sum of $2,700.

What for you go to Slop Shops when you Can get the most elegant Garments at such low prices at Schiff & Steinfeld's.

Wm. Davidson, Sr., of Bridgewater, died on Monday morning 3d inst. His funeral will take place on Wednesday, (to-day) 5th inst., at 2 p. m.

Township Tickets.—Tickets for local officers will have to be voted on the same day on which the general election is held. In order to facilitate the business on election day and prevent confusion, these township and borough tickets should be printed. On the day that nominations are made a collection can be had to pay for printing tickets, We will print them at The Beaver Argus office at a reasonable price. Let our friends in the several districts attend to this in time.

Among the splendid animals on exhibition at the late fair was a family horse, by James Alcorn, of Ohio tp. The horse was perfectly built, 16 hands high, seven years old, and looked beautiful as a picture—a living ornament to the fair.

The best looking and largest show of cattle at the fair was exhibited by Messrs. Todd & Dawson, of Ohio tp. Their show comprised 18 head of pure Durhams, and for lovers of fine stock was worth traveling a distance to see. No man in the county have done more to improve the breed of cattle than these gentlemen, and their success was made manifest by the many expressions of approval which the spectators uttered on inspection of their animals. Those wishing to purchase fine cattle horsebouts will know where to go.

John Thornley, the celebrated stove manufacturer of Fallston, was at the fair with his "Great Republic" cooking stove with the new improvements he has introduced and patented. He has got up a centre piece on the top of the stove which cannot beat by any amount of heating. He has also a patent coffee browner which stirs the coffee at a great rate and browns it beautifully without one-fourth the usual time or trouble.

Ladies! Ladies!! Ladies!!! Doubtless many of you had your hats, bonnets and millinery goods soiled by the inclement weather while attending the Beaver county fair. If so call at I. Hanauer's Bazar of Fashion and replace them.

The Fairfield (Iowa) *Union Traveler* of September 23, has the following which we are requested to copy:

The unexpected death of Mr. Henry Ashbaugh is a sad bereavement for his widow. Our strangers with her deceased husband and child she feels keenly her loss. They have been in our town but a few months, yet during that time they have gained the esteem of all with whom they became acquainted. The remains of Mr. Ashbaugh, were started to Freeport, Penn., last night under charge of Mrs. A.

Y. M. C. A.—We wish to remind such of our readers as rece ve our paper Tuesday, of the meeting in the interests of this very worthy enterprise in the M. E. Church, Tuesday evening at 7½ o'clock. Several brief addresses may be expected and appropriate singing. Let the youth of our communities attend in large numbers. Let Church members and friends lend their countenance by being present on the occasion.

The very latest styles in fancy Cassimeres and Vestings at Schiff & Steinfeld's.

In passing through the fair grounds we were attracted by the magnificent display of H. Brill, the enterprising and well known druggist of Allegheny city. He is exhibiting his famous Pain Eradicator and Worm Confections which have given such entire satisfaction through this section, and have elicited the most flattering praises from our best citizens best physicians. His flavoring extracts are very fine, and every housekeeper should give them a trial; in fact, the whole display was an ornament to the Fair and a credit to the proprietor.

Fine Jewelry.—We would respectfully call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Meyran & Siedle of 45 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, which appears in to-day's paper—Messrs. M. & S. are dealers in Jewelry, Watches, Diamonds, etc., of which they have a large and elegant stock, and are sold in one of the finest store-rooms in Pittsburgh. The stock of watches consists of all grades of European and American manufacture. Those of our readers going to Pittsburgh should visit this store and examine the stock to be found there,

Tornado Charm.—This is the title given to a patent churn, which attracted a very considerable share of public attention at the late Fair in this county. Robert Harsha, of Harshaville, is the agent for Beaver county. The churn works on the old dasher principle, with a power attached which is said to be—and which from inspection is—the most complete, durable and easily operated of any hitherto offered to the public. It is compact, strong and durable—simple in construction and conveniently arranged. It has a peculiar double motion—oscillating and reciprocating—which makes the dasher act with great force upon the milk, breaking it quickly and gathering the butter at the same time. All old butter-makers concur in the opinion that the old time-honored dasher is the best principle for making butter—rendering the article harder, more compact, and susceptible of retaining its sweetness for a longer period than that made in any other machine. The concussion produced on the surface of the cream, where air is freely admitted to unite with the broken globules, cause a better separation, and increases the quality of butter from the amount of cream. This churn seemed to be one of the chief attractions of the Fair. It sells rapidly; in fact, it seemed to be "all the go" among farmers and dairymen. It merits sale, and is finding a ready market.

A Distinguished Pennsylvanian.—We clip the following notice from the New Orleans *Republican*. The Gen. McCleery, whom it so justly eulogises, is a native of New Brighton, Beaver Co., Pa. When he was yet quite young his father, Mr. J. W. McCleery, removed to Warren, Ohio, from which State the General volunteered in the recent war. When the rebellion was suppressed he settled at Shreveport, Louisiana, where he now resides and is held in such esteem that he has been nominated for, and will be triumphantly elected to Congress by a Republican constituency.

GENERAL JAMES M'CLEERY,

The Fourth District has honored itself in nominating General James McCleery for Congress. He is one of the ablest men in northwestern Louisiana, and will be a tower of strength in the coming campaign. He is one of the first scholars of the country. He graduated with high honors in '57, and entered upon the profession of the law. During the late war he served with distinction in the Federal army, losing an arm at Shiloh, and receiving a dangerous wound thro' the leg at Stone river. He is a sound Republican, and will be elected by a large majority.

SHURLOCK'S SUPPORT OF GEN. IRWIN.

Mr. Editor: I have learned from many sources, that Dr. Shurlock is industriously at work in many sections of Beaver county, to convince my friends that he stood by me for the nomination by the Republican party, for State Treasurer last winter, as long as there was any probability that I could command a sufficient number of votes to warrant a hope of nomination to that office. He does this for the purpose of inducing my friends to support him as the coming election. I wish to put my friends right in regard to his action in that matter.

It is true, the majority of the people of Beaver county, either from their personal regard for me individually, or from local pride in having the office of State Treasurer secured to a citizen of their own county—perhaps a little of both—desired my election to the office of custodian of the State funds. I trust I am duly thankful for their friendship and kind regards in that behalf. Messrs. Rutan and Shurlock, well aware of the state of feeling indicated above in reference to this subject, voluntarily became the exponents of those sentiments of their constituency, and assured me of their hearty and vigorous support for the office of State Treasurer, at the ensuing session of the Legislature. I believed them earnest and sincere in their professions of friendship and support. I had no occasion, at that time, to doubt but that they would faithfully represent the wishes of their constituents and give me that support they so freely proffered, although I had been warned by many friends, that implict faith could not be reposed in their protestations of support. Many well posted politicians of this county, assured me that, so soon as their votes were needed for Mackey, they would drop me, because it was believed that M. S. Quay had instructed them so to do.

Messrs. Rutan and Shurlock not only assured me by letter of their intention to give me their hearty aid for the office of State Treasurer, but the night previous to their departure for Harrisburg they came to my residence and spent the night with me for the express purpose of personally assuring me of their support.—These protestations of friendship led me to believe the warnings of my astute neighbors premature and uncalled for.

At Harrisburg, prior to the convening of the Legislature, Dr. Shurlock spent a large portion of his time in my room—in fact, made it his head-quarters: until a late hour of the night—and kindly entertained my friends in my absence; and frequently voluntarily assured me that *no power should cause him to vote against me.*

On Tuesday evening, after the convening of the Legislature, it became known to the "Cameron-Mackey ring" that the organization of both Houses—that is, the Speaker and officers elected—was in my favor. That "ring" held a consultation and determined not to give up the Treasury. The engineer of the "Cameron-Mackey ring"—notoriously known throughout the Commonwealth as M. S. Quay—was bound to fill his contract; first, by securing three members for Mackey from the Washington and Beaver district; and secondly, by supplying his quota of the money necessary to be used in bribing a sufficient number of votes to secure Mackey's nomination. He procured the money by giving as collateral security five hundred shares of Union City Passenger Railway Stock of Philadelphia, his Pennsylvania Railroad Stock, his Bald Eagle Valley Railroad Stock and his Beaver County Bank Stock; and, with the money thus obtained, the nomination of Mackey in the Republican caucus was secured. But he was defeated in the joint convention of the Legislature, and those stocks and securities have been hawked about from bank to bank, unredeemed, over since.

After the question of finance had thus been settled, the engineer of the "Cameron-Mackey ring" commenced electioneering for Mackey vote for his nomination as candidate for State Treasurer in the approaching Republican caucus; and, to fully comply with his part of the contract entered into with the Cameron-Mackey conclave, he proceeded to *persuade* the three members from Washington and Beaver that their votes were necessary to defeat my nomination. Forgetting all their promises and protestations of support—overlooking entirely the warm and earnest wishes of their constituents—Messrs. Rutan and Shurlock proceeded to the Lochiel Hotel in Harrisburg, on the Tuesday evening of the organization of the Legislature, and signed M. S. Quay's "slate," or paper, agreeing to support the nomination of the political Gambler, Mackey. "Call you that backing your friends?" Subsequent to that time, neither of them showed the light of their friendly countenances in my room, but studiously avoided me and assisted Mr. Quay all they could in procuring votes for Mackey's nomination until the meeting of the caucus on the following Thursday. At its meeting it was ascertained that twenty-nine of my friends utterly refused to go into that body because it had been notoriously public that bribery had been freely resorted to in packing its members. Under this state of the case Messrs. Rutan and Shurlock could afford to vote for me, as in the absence of so many of my supporters there was no show for my nomination. They did so; and under this flimsy mantle they attempt to make it appear to the citizens of Beaver county that they supported me as long as there was any hope for my nomination. I had six friends in the caucus exclusive of Rutan and Shurlock—twenty-nine absent. Of those in caucus, my own county members were the first to drop from my support. Of course, this had its weight upon others who, seeing me abandoned by my own members, left me for the one who appeared to be "the strong candidate," or "the winning man."

The above are all facts, susceptible of proof by competent and substantial testimony; and from them my friends can judge how far Messrs. Shurlock and Rutan's protestations of friendship and support in electing me State Treasurer, were sincere. Nothing in the foregoing statement can be denied by either of those gentlemen, if they have any regard for the truth.

Mr. Rutan endeavors to cover his Legislative short-comings with anathemas against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, notwithstanding he requested the General Agent of that incorporation, before leaving Harrisburg at the close of the last session of the Legislature, "to put him down for anything they wished next winter."

M. S. Quay also abuses the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in the columns of the Beaver *Radical*; but he has some excuse for such action, inasmuch as the Agent of that incorporation, some two years since, declined his further services as an assistant lobbyist in the Pa. Legislature.

Mr. Quay, in the last *Radical*, reiterates his charge that I had proposed to give D. A. Nagle $2,000 to defeat two Republican candidates for the Legislature in Philadelphia. I pronounced the assertion false in every particular, in the last Argus. I repeat, it is basely false. It now becomes a question of veracity between M. S. Quay and myself. I think mine will not suffer materially in the test in this community.

W. W. Irwin.

Fairview, Sept. 27th, 1870.

Mr. Editor: Although the present Congressional contest is unusually quiet, yet the Republicans of Ohio township did not feel disposed to let us pass without letting Democracy know that they still lived and were ready to defend the principles of the party, and on the eve of Sept. 3rd, an enthusiastic meeting was addressed at Fairview by James H. Cunningham, a young man of your town, by whom the honors of the day were distributed, and the audience entertained by an eloquent address of two hours. During the address, the speaker, in viewing our national sacrifice in the late rebellion, introduced the name of the talented Gen. R. P. Roberts, acknowledging him as the idol of his boyhood, and his political course as one which he admired, and by so doing touched a very popular chord, as it brought back afresh to the minds of the people the name of that man whose memory is cherished by all lovers of liberty. At the close of his speech, in viewing the responsibilities of Democracy, he gave a challenge for denial and it was accepted by our friend James Beatty (a Democratic candidate to this county) and a lively discussion then ensued between the two speakers; the best of feeling prevailed on the part of the speakers, and as I have heard Mr. Cunningham say that there was music in politics I think he has again realized its musical voice. And in conclusion, let me say, that he defended the principles of the party, and sustained himself in the argument in a manner which reflects much credit to himself and honor to the party, whose principles he has, and is still able to defend.

Republican.

Messrs. Lawrence and Trimble Speak.

Editor Argus.—

T. J. Chandler has come to the conclusion that he is a candidate for the Legislature in earnest. To this we have no objection; and, had he let us alone when we were not in any way interfering with him, we would never have noticed him. He has wantonly assailed us without the least cause for doing so. In an effort to make it appear that he was cheated out of the nomination he says: "There were from nine to fifteen colored men, voters in Greene township, that desired to vote for me, but were deterred or advised not to come to the polls," &c. (See T. J. C. in Argus of 7th Sept.) But when he came to count up his fifteen colored votes they dwindled down to six. (See Argus of 14th Sept.) His six colored voters, in the *Radical* of 23d Sept., very unkindly disavow the acquaintance. That disavowal brings T. J. Chandler into Greene township, we presume, to hunt up those men that were so very anxious to vote for him. He spent a day and night among us, and what is the result? We find T. J. Chandler, in the last Argus, with an affidavit of one Wm. Penny of being a question of veracity with those six "colored citizens;" and a statement of T. J. Chandler attempting to strengthen his affidavit man; but Chandler has so many questions of veracity to answer in this unfortunate business, that it becomes a question as to whether Chandler is a good witness. Six colored men against one colored man and one impeached witness, leaves the weight of evidence against Chandler. The fashion in made by Chandler that any of the affiants may be unreliable when they made their affidavits, is a falsehood, as Esquire Boyd testifies. The statement that we used our influence to prevent any person, colored or otherwise, from voting on that day, is a base fabrication; and we have the authority of a colored man for saying that the certificate purporting to be signed by six colored citizens, was got up by T. J. Chandler, in Rochester, made up to suit the case he wanted to make out against Dr. Shurlock, and a two dollar note induced a colored man to secure the names that were needed. This we believe to be the truth.

The assertion that the citizens of Hookstown sustain Chandler's view of the matter is untrue. He was here a day and night. Could not his two interested friends get one certificate at least to sustain him? He did attempt to get men to give him certificates, but they refused.

Testimony that rests on the veracity of a man who has had his veracity questioned so often as Chandler has, within the last month, should understand that he is not a reliable witness. We dare be left our to rest "with a fee in his ear."—It is clear that he does not expect to get the votes of the "six colored citizens," or he would not have slandered them by charging them with being drunk when they made their affidavits, and unable to write the names from that cause. Now the fact that the T. J. Chandler certificate purports to be signed by the certifiers in their own hand, is evidence clear to our minds—if such evidence was wanting—that there was something wrong. At least three of the certifiers cannot write. Now, why are not the witnesses procured? Penny is made to swear that there were witnesses. Who, and where are they?

Mr. Trimble made no such acknowledgement as Chandler referrs to, in convention. Chandler started out to prove that his nomination was defeated by improper means being used to deprive him of votes, and names Greene township as one of the districts; and that a question, as to who were entitled to vote, was raised to his disadvantage. The question as he states it is this: Must a man be assessed and pay a tax to qualify him to vote?—Can there be any question as to how that must be answered? But we have another question; one that was mooted on the day of the primary meeting; and was, as we understand it, a disputed question; but not with any colored man, or in their presence. "Does the XVth Amendment of the Constitution to the United States, give the colored man the right to vote, independent of all other considerations?" It must be answered negatively. Now, this is the matter that Chandler is making all this noise about. Outsiders may suppose there had been a fierce fight in Greene township at the primary meeting. There was no such thing. One of us was on the election ground but once on that day, and then only long enough to vote, and did not speak to a colored man on that day; the other had no controversy in the presence of, or with, any colored man. The election was quiet; every man left to the freedom of his own will. We have no knowledge of any effort to defeat Chandler; and it was not necessary, so few were voting for him. We are not surprised at his attempt to show that his friends were afraid to come out; his small vote showed clearly that they were engaged in some other business than voting. The colored men here say he voted for Bell and Everett, and against Fremont, and they will repudiate him for that if nothing else.

We have seen one of the citizens referred to in Chandler's last communication, who declares he told Chandler that he was all wrong in his attack on us; that he was one of the parties that had alleged controversy with us, and that it had nothing to do with preventing colored citizens from voting on that day; that he refused Chandler the use of his name in any way, and the reference to him is unauthorized. Such are the miserable shifts this man is resorting to, to sustain a bad cause. Please publish the accompanying certificates.

M. Lawrence,
J. H. Trimble.

Beaver County, ss.

Before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace, came M. Lawrence, who being duly sworn, saith: That George Penny, Stephen Cisco, Thos. M. Palmer, Joseph Evans, W. H. H. Evans and James Jackson were duly sober when they made their respective certificates as published in the *Radical* of the 23d Sept.; and that their signatures to said certificates were all made by their own hand, as their proper signatures; that they all made their statements before their affidavits were written, and that said affidavits were read to them after they were written, and had their unqualified assent; two of the affiants declaring their name to be a forgery.

M. Lawrence.

Sworn and subscribed Sept. 28, 1870.

James Boyd, J. P.

Beaver County, ss.

Before the subscriber came James Boyd, who deposes and says: That, on the 19th of September, 1870, George Penny, Stephen Cisco, Thomas M. Palmer, H. H. Evans, Joseph Evans and—on the 20th—James Jackson, made affidavits before me as to certain facts in which T. J. Chandler was concerned; that said affiants were not drunk but sober and in their right mind when they made said affidavits; that the affiants understood the import of said affidavits, and all declared, emphatically, that they were strictly true. And I further declare, on oath, that the names to said affidavits are the proper signatures of the affiants—three of them, not being able to write their names, made their marks, stating at the time that they could not write. The language and bearing of those men showed clearly that they believed that they had been imposed upon and made certify to things that were not true—two of them stating, pointedly, that their names were "forged."

James Boyd.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 28th day of September, 1870.

M. Lawrence, A. J.

Dr. T. J. Chandler Responds.

Judge Lawrence and Mr. Trimble have come to the rescue of the drooping cause of the "ring" who have been playing the game of "rule or ruin," in the Republican party of Beaver county for the past two years. I am exceedingly sorry that Judge Lawrence could be brought to subserve the interest of such a clique of political gamblers as have undertaken to subvert the will of a majority of the Republican citizens of this county, expressed at the primary meetings in May last. Sorry, because he is a person I have always held in high esteem as a gentleman, and because—however undisputed the right to do so may be—the leaving of the judicial bench to bring his official character to bear in the conflict of rival factions of political parties, and becoming filled with their jealousies and animosities, detracts from that character which should always be looked for in a Judge. It matters little whether, when he ascends the judicial chair and dons the "ermine," he shall be able to divest himself of the animosities entertained out of doors; his conduct renders him liable to be charged with partiality; and the judiciary should be, "like Cæsar's wife—beyond suspicion."

Before referring to the joint communication of Lawrence & Trimble in detail, I wish to make a few general remarks upon the situation; and in doing so, I shall be as brief as possible.

I am not now a candidate before the people for the office of Assemblyman, by my own seeking. A majority of the Republican voters at the primary meetings in May last, expressed their wishes through the ballot-box, that I should be their candidate for that office. The expression of this voice was stifled and smothered, by those belonging to a "ring," which, last year, sold out Arthur Shields,—candidate for Sheriff, a Republican and as brave a soldier as ever stood on the field of battle "as a wall of fire" between the enemies of his country, and the capitol of the nation—to the Democrats, to secure the election of Dr. Shurlock. It was smothered; Shurlock declared renominated; and, contrary to all precedent, the papers carried off, locked up, and the key retained by a person who had no more right to their possession than the humblest member of the Republican party; and this person absolutely refuses to let the election papers of the primary meetings be seen by representatives of what is claimed, as a majority of the Republican party, or to give copies of such ones as were designated would reveal the names of fraudulent voters.

Immediately after the convention met in May, it was discovered that fraud had been committed in several election precincts, and they were pointed out. The great branch of the Republican party, who voted for me at the primary meetings—through some of its leading men—called upon me to *claim* my position as their candidate—as the one who had received the legal majority of their votes. Shurlock—through the political knavery of the "ring-masters" in the Convention—had been declared the nominee for Assembly, and my claim could not be established clearly, without access to records and documents which were in possession of the "ring." Every attempt in that direction was foiled by those having them in charge.

Under this state of things, some of my friends certified they had voted for me in Beaver Falls, who were not accredited with having done so. This certificate was published. Instantly, as if by preconcerted arrangement, up steps a prominent member of the "ring" with half a dozen affidavits, more or less, to prove that some of them did not sign the paper themselves; (although they authorized it to be done) and a son to say he did not sign it, when it had been his father who had signed; and one person whose name had been mistaken by the compositor, was made to call forth a certificate from a person who was never claimed to have signed it. Thus, certificate was piled upon certificate—but no affidavits—and all for the express purpose of "rendering confusion worse confounded," and destroy the effect of my certificate. Now, the plain fact is the persons whose names were published *did* sign the certificate, and there is not the slightest doubt they voted as they certified they did.

When the County Committee met, on Sept. 3d, last, an application was made to have the claims of my friends—that I was the regular nominee of the Republican party for Assembly—investigated. Mr. Shurlock had a majority of the members of that Committee present. If they had been disposed to deal fairly; and, full of the consciousness of the honesty of his claim to have been the legitimate nominee of the party, how easily could they have settled all controversy by exceeding to the request, and ordered an investigation? Such a course would have been in accordance with the usages of the party, and would have settled all controversy. But, knowing that the names of the Democratic voters of Phillipsburg would rise up in damning evidence against the claim of Dr. Shurlock's right to be considered the nominee of the party, and other precincts where the same, or some other fraud had been committed, would be made manifest, they chose rather to refuse such investigation. We say, in the face of such a denial, we have the *right* to charge fraud; and claim the nomination as legitimately belonging to us.

At my solicitation, afterwards, my friends offered to withdraw my name as a candidate, providing the friends of Dr. Shurlock would do the same for him; for the purpose of giving the Republican party an opportunity to settle upon some candidate for Assembly upon whom they could harmonize, and unite the entire strength of the party, and this, too, in sufficient time for the County Committee to act in the premises. But this proposition met with no favor from the "ring of corruptionists." So that, I suppose I may now be considered—if the expression pleases Dr. Lawrence and Mr. Trimble—"a candidate in earnest," of that portion of the Republican party in Beaver county who are determined to crush out political chicanery and dishonest dictation, hereafter, in the matter of nominations.

Now, the action of the Convention, in refusing an investigation, and in sustaining the claims of Mr. Shurlock, is not *a personal matter to me.* It is of little consequence to the great Republican party whether Mr. Shurlock, or myself, or either of us, be successful in this canvass. The action of that Convention—and of the "ring of corruptionists"—*was an insult to the entire party* and to each individual member of it; and any one who votes to sustain its action at the polls next week, the result will be a disruption of the party. If, on the contrary they rebuke, and repudiate that action, they vote to harmonize and save the party in the future. I am now occupying a position as the exponent of principle. Every vote cast for me, at the primary election, *will not be cast for me,* but for the political status of the elector who deposits the ballot—for the salvation of his party and the rebuke of the political gamblers.

One slight allusion, so delicately introduced by Messrs. Lawrence and Trimble, in their communication of to-day, in regard to my veracity, was no doubt done for the purpose of suggesting a state of feeling which ought not to be manifested by one who sustains the position which I now occupy before the public. I pass it by, therefore, with the simple remark, that it will probably bear comparison with that of either of those gentlemen.

The names of the colored persons that were published as having been "deterred" from voting at the primary election in May last, in Greene township, were obtained to the paper, by a friend of mine, and sent to me. He swears the list was copied from the persons whose names are thereunto attached, with the exceptions he specifies in his affidavit. As to the matter of their having been drunk when they were solicited by the "quick affiants," —Trimble & Lawrence "quick affiants," —I can simply state *I was so informed.* It may be they were not. In fact, I am bound to believe they were not, since the Judge and his amiable friend, Esquire Boyd swore they were not. What other influence operated upon them when they were lately "seen," I cannot comprehend—perhaps about the *same as is generally resorted to* by that brotherhood of politicians. The public are at liberty to infer. As to the colored men being "deterred" from going to the polls at the primary meeting by reason of what the Judge and Mr. Trimble said, I can state positively that such news was reported in Rochester and Beaver boroughs, within three days after the primary meeting; so notorious was the fact. These gentlemen must remember, that while we do not wish to impugn their veracity, we are free to say that there are more ways than one to "deliver" a man from any design. It was not necessary that the Judge should personally request the colored men to abstain from going to the polls. It was simply sufficient *if they knew* either from *his personal conversation*, or from *hearing it related and repeated by others, that the Judge of the Court* was of opinion they had no right to vote at the primary election, to cause them to abstain from going to the polls. It will be seen that Messrs. Trimble & Lawrence admit having an argument on the question of the colored man's right to vote under the XVth Amendment. This is mere sophistry, merely "a cover to haul off under;" but it is sufficient to establish the fact that the colored man's *right* to vote was brought in question on that occasion. They state: "The question as he [Chandler] puts it, is this: "Must a man be assessed and pay a tax to qualify him to vote?" I never questioned nor denied that proposition when it referred to a legal election. Here is the question: "Must a man be assessed ten days before a primary meeting and pay a tax or be excluded from voting at such meeting, to which would become a legal voter at the coming fall election?" *This* was the point. *This* was the matter under discussion at Greene township on the day of the primary meeting there; *and this was the question* that Mr. Trimble responded in the affirmative to at the County Committee meeting on the 3d of September last, his denial in the communication of to-day, notwithstanding. The untruthful and ungenerous *fling* that I voted for Bell and Everett, comes with rather a bad grace from one who has flown the track of Republicanism, three or four times—as is notorious—and used all his influence to elect a Democrat over honest John Allison, a good a man as ever represented this district. Now, in consideration of the foregoing facts, all who wish "a ring of corruptionists sustained—will, of course, vote for Dr. Shurlock. Those who desire to purge the party of this scum, this excrescence, this boil upon, this cancer upon the vitals of the Republican party; and, restore it to health and vigor will vote for

T. J. Chandler.

Shurlock Convicted, But Quay Withholds the Reward.

Editor Argus:—A short time since I observed in the Beaver *Radical* a proposition that one hundred dollars would be paid by the proprietor of that establishment to any one making oath that Shurlock had influenced him to vote for Graebing for Sheriff last fall. Recollecting with distinctness that Dr. Shurlock had, a little while before the election, given me a ticket containing the names of all the Republican nominees except that of Shields, instead of whose name Graebing's had been inserted, and that in a conversation then Shurlock had spoken in the highest terms of commendation of Graebing, and rather disparagingly of Shields, I at once concluded to test the consistency of Dr. Shurlock, or the parties making the above proposition. Accordingly I made affidavit to the facts set forth in the affidavit hereto appended, and signed by John M. Cook, Esq., as Notary Public. This affidavit appeared to me to cover the ground with sufficient clearness to test what I wished, viz: the sincerity and integrity of the parties who made the above offer. Therefore on the 30th ult. I conveyed it to Col. Quay, who examined it and requested the privilege of retaining it till six o'clock in the evening, at which time he requested me to return and meet Dr. Shurlock and submit to a cross examination. To this I assented, and at the time fixed returned to the *Radical* office and sometime thereafter was admitted into the presence of Quay, Shurlock & Co., who instead of complying with that part of their agreement relative to an examination produced Shurlock's counter affidavit denying the contents of mine, at the same time raising the quibble that my affidavit did not show that my vote had been "cast for Graebing. It is but just to say that I felt friendly to Shurlock, and believed, until convinced to the contrary from his own mouth, that the *Radical*, in championing his rights, was doing him injustice by attempting to create the public impression that he had not contributed to the election of Sheriff Graebing in various ways.

I had not been prepared to believe that Shurlock, after advocating Graebing one year ago *for* the purpose of obtaining votes, would now meet behind the curtain of denial lest the truth might work against him. The counter affidavit is not a general denial of the general charge that Shurlock aided in Graebing's election or distributed Graebing tickets, but a special denial of giving me that kind of ticket. I suppose it is but fair that the public should take it as admitted that he pleads guilty to the general charge, but does not recollect that I was one of the persons influenced. In reason, and Miss Emma Bullock, both of East Liverpool Columbiana Co. O.

DIED.

MOORE—At Rochester, Pa., on Saturday evening, Oct. 1st., Sophia A., daughter of Samuel and Hannah Moore.

LUKENS.—At his resid

WARNEWS.

LONDON, September 21.—The German forces have occupied Nemours and Isard.

An official dispatch from the Prussian headquarters before Paris reports that a redoubt with seven guns had been captured by German troops. Another dispatch from the King to the Queen, dated Tuesday, says: "The French abandoned their position near Pierrefitte, north of Fort St. Denis. At the same time the Prussian and Bavarian corps, crossing the Seine near Villeneuve, attacked three divisions under General Vinoy, on the Heights of Sieux, and captured seven guns and many men. Fritz directed the movements, weather is superb."

BERLIN, September 20, Midnight.—The following information has just been received in this city from the front: On Sunday night the Prussian forces surrounding the city of Toul began a furious bombardment of the French position. An incessant fire was continued throughout the night and on Monday. Many breaches were made in the walls of the city, and a great many buildings burned by the well directed artillery fire of the Prussians. On Tuesday morning the Prussians were preparing to renew the bombardment with the greatest vigor, when a note was received from the French commander by a flag of truce, offering the unconditional surrender of the city and garrison. The offer to capitulate was promptly accepted, and the city of Toul is now occupied by the Prussian troops.

CARLSRUHE, September 21.—The newly appointed Prussian Governor of the Province of Alsace has issued a proclamation to the inhabitants, in which the following declarations are made: The State will not interfere with the Church or ecclesiastics. Preaching, speaking, or acting against the authorities will be punished by military law. The Government will only take cognizance of infractions of its authority by indiscretions on the part of the clergy.

PARIS, September 23.—It is said that Gen. Trochu intends to call into Paris all the troops which are now outside, and not engaged in scouting.

The heavy guns of Fort D'Ivry did great harm to the Prussians massed in the woods. The French losses are not yet published, but are reported as much less than those of the Prussians. This has commenced a serious of struggles which inaugurates the siege of Paris, and which must now be terminated either by victory and the withdrawal of the Prussians, or by a defeat that will convert every house into a fortress.

The clan of the Garde Mobile is unquestionable, and the resolution of the National Guard is not less firm, because less boisterous. Provinces and communes are fast coming to the rescue of the beleaguered capital. Three communes have already subscribed five hundred thousand dollars, and thirteen others have subscribed two millions two hundred thousand dollars toward the national defence.

The aspect of the street changes wonderfully from day to day. Fewer people are to be seen, and more shops are closed. More soldiers are in the streets, but very few women. The people grow solemn. At ten o'clock p. m., the cafes are regularly closed, and by eleven the boulevards are deserted. Ambulances with wounded soldiers are continually passing, and we hear rumors of houses closed, whole streets being mined. Carriages passing the line of fortifications are forbidden to go off a walk for fear of occasioning explosions.

The dread of spies has not yet died out. Each man looks at his neighbor with suspicion.

Yesterday morning the most curious sign of siege was the number of foreign flags flying about Paris. At the English Embassy the Union Jack was flying over the gateway, and in order that there might be no mistake, a great blackboard was put up to inform the public that "This is the English Embassy." Also a similar board on the garden side, facing the Champs Elysees. All the foreign Embassies have their flags flying, and every foreign resident of Paris hangs out the flag of his nation. The number of flags with stars and stripes that meet one on every street, gives a vivid idea of the regard in which the French capital is held by Americans. The English flags are much fewer. It is supposed that all houses covered with such flags will be respected by both belligerents.

The Red Cross flags of the "Society for the Wounded" are also very frequent. If any one sets up a private ambulance in his house, that is, allots one or two beds to wounded, he may hang out the Red Cross flag. Among all the flags the American is the favorite, and Mr. Washburne is perhaps the most popular man in Paris.

LONDON, Sept. 26.—The *Times* publishes a special telegram from Saarbrucken, dated Sept. 21, giving the following intelligence: "Yesterday, at Metz, Bazaine made a feint on the side of Mercy la Hunt, and attempted to escape to Thionville.—There was heavy cannonading for some hours, and a sharp fight at Montien, seven miles from metz. The French were driven in again. Their losses were serious. Bazaine sent back the Prussian prisoners he had taken in the engagement. A heavy force, composed principally of Bavarians, is penetrating the country towards Lyons. A call for a levy of troops *en masse* is hourly expected in France.—The French fleet in the Baltic has been charged with the duty of cutting the cable, connecting North Germany with London.

Advices from all parts of France show that the people are rising in arms and concentrating on the great cities, in which the Government is rapidly accumulating arms. Imperfect returns, from six departments, show a total of 250,000 volunteers enrolled since the surrender of Sedan, and municipal votes of nearly 200,000 francs.

Fighting all day, Friday near Paris is reported from Tours, but the accounts are so contradictory that the English journals refuse to publish them.

The English press compare the war movements in France with those of the late American contest, especially with the campaigns of General Grant against Vicksburg and Richmond.

The letter of Victor Emanuel to the Pope, announcing the necessity for the occupation of Rome, is condemned by some as too dutiful, and by others as too arrogant.

A correspondent of the *Tribune*, at Brussels, telegraphs on the 26th:—Travelers escaped from Paris state that guns are firing day and night. Fugitive Zouaves are executed. The strict authority of the government is much questioned. The Lloyds report that the police of Calais were instructed yesterday to allow no Frenchman to embark on outward bound vessels, whether having passports or not.

LONDON, Sept. 27.—The German Engineers have selected the Southern zone of the forts of Paris, composed of five, upon which to concentrate their attack. The works upon that side they esteem comparatively feeble and vulnerable, and after reducing these works by a heavy and incessant fire, they believe that the breaching of the walls of the city will be an easy matter.

The following French account of the late victories has been communicated to the Government here: On Sunday a division of French troops attacked the Prussians who were posted on the heights and plateaus of Villejuf, and blew up the redoubts of Mendon, Sagnet, Villejuf, and Haute Bruyeres. The Prussian loss was considerable, as the French assaulted with the bayonet.

Admiral Saisset, with a force of two hundred fusilliers and four hundred marines, with eight companies of lancers, made a brilliant reconnoissance and drove the Prussians from the village of Draney. Gen. Belanger attacked the Germans who were in heavy force at Pierrefitte, dislodged and drove them back splendidly after a short engagement.

A dispatch from Brussels says: Travelers who have escaped from Paris to this city state that the reports of anarchy and misrule reigning within the city are bogus. The ing within the city are bogus. The statements that drunken soldiers are firing their guns in the street in a flying manner are unworthy of belief, as the military police are fully able to suppress all lawlessness promptly. The Zouaves who inaugurated the bolting movement in the action at Mendon have been executed for their cowardice in face of the enemy.

CARLSRUHE, September 27.—The latest advices from Strasburg, communicated by parties, who have escaped, announce that the besieged have at last abandoned all hope of relief. The Prussian fire is terribly destructive. They report that Gen. Ulrich declares he cannot hold out much longer against the overpowering armament which the Prussians are using against him, and that he resolved to dispatch a messenger to Paris to represent the deplorable state of affairs within the city, and to ascertain the judgement of the Government.

BERLIN, September 27.—The *Press* in repelling the charge that the bombarment of Strasburg was carried on while the city was crowded with women and children, says that Gen. Ulrich, the French commander, has persistently refused to allow noncombattants to leave.

A breach broad enough to warrant an assault, has been made at Strasburg.

The *North German Gazette*, the official journal says: "Whatever may be the German plans about France, the restoration of Bonaparte is not among them."

Paris is completely surrounded and all communication with the outside world—except by balloon—cut off.

THE MOTHER OF NAPOLEON III.)

On a mild October evening, not soon to be forgotten, a brilliant company of ladies and gentlemen gathered in a railway car far out on the western plains. Among them were representatives from nearly every State in the Union, scions of French and English aristocracy, wanderers from the utmost parts of the earth; men who had distinguished themselves in the field, the cabinet and the forum; capitalists who controlled millions; authors who had gained a world wide fame; scholars, whose profound learning had adorned the nation which gave them birth—a delegation, in short, which might fairly be considered as an illustration of the culture, the energy, the progressive genius of the nineteenth century. The occasion that had brought them together was worthy of their presence. They had that day participated in the ceremonial which marked the completion of a grand national enterprise to a point where its future success was reduced to a mere question of time; they had seen the first locomotive cross the one hundredth meridian, and heard its shrill scream of triumph break the primeval solitude and silence of that vast waste which stretched between the Missouri and the Rocky Mountains; they had penetrated to the heart of the continent, assisted at the betrothal of the Atlantic and Pacific, and joined in anticipating the glorious results which must follow the consummated nuptials. And now that the ceremonial was over, they were whiling away the twilight hours in social intercourse, but the event they had just witnessed seemed to overshadow them with its magnitude and significance, and in spite of all efforts by the leaders of the circle the conversation dragged heavily, and would have ceased altogether had it not been for a fortunate circumstance.

The door opened and a gentleman entered the car who was evidently a stranger to all but one or two of the party, but these recognized and saluted him at once, and begged his aid to dissipate the atmosphere of dullness that prevailed. He cheerfully consented; an arm chair was drawn into the centre of the saloon, and Professor W. taking his stand behind it, announced his readiness to test the science of phrenology by practical experiment upon any who chose to submit their heads to his manipulation. Never, certainly, was there better material, for the variety and quality of brains in that little group could have delighted the soul of Spurzheim himself. One and another, all, however, unknown to the Professor even by name, underwent an examination, and he delineated their characters even to the minutest peculiarities with a most wonderful fidelity—making not a single mistake in his mental diagnosis, if the evidence of the subjects themselves is to be relied upon. There was one feature of these examinations which attracted attention and gave rise to much comment. Not a single man of note in any profession, whether soldier, statesman, financier, writer, philosopher, or inventor, that was not at once pronounced to be, in the words of the phrenologist, "his mother's child." The slightest touch of the fingers upon the cranium appeared to reveal this curious fact, and then would come the measured phrases—"I do not know this gentleman, who he is or what he is, but I am sure that whatever he has been mother's child, and whatever he may be, he owes primarily to his mother's intellectual and moral capability her child, and bears the stamp of her moral and intellectual nature upon his soul." In every instance the verdict of the Professor was endorsed by the individual.

Without accepting all the teachings of phrenology as absolutely correct, we are inclined to believe that in this case it revealed a great truth. We believe it were possible to investigate the history and parental antecedents of the great men of every race and age, it would be found that the large majority of them inherited their mother's traits, and drive from her the abilities which make them famous.

Washington was pre-eminently his mother's child, and whatever was noble, unselfish and heroic in him, he inherited from that woman who was fit to be a Roman matron when Rome produced demigods. Napoleon was the offspring of **Letitia Ramolini**, rather than of her amiable husband, Charles; and the unchanging devotion and respect which he lavished upon her through life, and the tributes he paid her memory when she was dead, are proofs that he recognized and was proud of the fact. The nephew of Napoleon sits on the throne of France, and after a successful reign of twenty years, which has given him a glory that no subsequent reverse can utterly efface, has begun a war which may make him master of Europe or consign him to an exile as ignominious as that of St. Helena. The chequered career of Louis Napoleon Bonaparte—his early obscurity, his folly, his many failures, his unyielding confidence in his own destiny, and the tremendous game on which he has now staked the fortunes of his empire and his dynasty, all combine to make him one of the most remarkable characters that has ever appeared upon the stage of human affairs. What and how much of the past, the present, and the possible future does he owe to his mother? Josephine Rose Tascher was a French creole, born on the Island of Martinique. At the age of fifteen she was betrothed to the Viscount Alexander de Beauharnais, a French nobleman of wealth and high social position, who had met her while on a visit to his colonial estates. Tradition says that Josephine was at the time deeply attached to a young man whom she had known from childhood; that a partial engagement existed between them which was to terminate in marriage as soon as he had completed his studies in Paris. During his absence Beauharnais arrived, became desperately enamored, and proposed for her hand. She was disposed to reject him, and did indeed discourage his addresses; but her uncle and guardian was flattered with the brilliant match thus offered his penniless niece and urged her acceptance. Relatives and friends joined their importunities, every argument likely to flatter the pride and ambition of a young and unsophisticated woman was brought forward, and the natural and general result followed. She consented to discard the man she loved, because he was poor, and to marry the man she not not love, because he was rich.

Crossing the ocean in 1776, Josephine took up her residence in Paris pending the arrangement of the coming nuptials. Here it is said, she met her abandoned lover, and the old emotions which she thought and hoped were dead and buried, revived in full force; but she had gone too far to retreat, and after an interview of painful agony and madness, the final parting came. For three months she sought refuge in the convent of Pantheumont, striving to forget her unavailing sorrow amid the quiet surroundings and religious influences of cloister life. In 1776 she was married; in 1781 her first and only son, Eugene, was born, and on the tenth of January, 1783, her first and only daughter, Hortense. Beauharnais was no better and no worse than the majority of titled Frenchmen of this day, but he did not appreciate his wife, indulged in every species of fashionable dissipation, and love soon vanished from the unhappy household to return no more. Writing to an intimate friend in Martinique, poor Josephine says:

"Were it not for my children, I should renounce France without a pang forever. My duty requires me to forget William. And yet if we had been united together, I should not now be troubling you with my grief."

By an unlucky chance the husband saw the letter, and a stormy scene ensued, which ended in temporary separation. Taking Hortense, then but three year old, the almost broken-hearted woman returned to her island home, and there remained for several years, living in closest seclusion upon her plantation. Meanwhile Beauharnais was smitten with repentence, and urged his wife to forgive him his manifold transgressions and re-join him. She consented, not for his sake, however, but for the sake of her son, who pleaded pitcously for a mother's care and affection. She landed in Paris in 1789, when the Revolution was beginning to throw its terrible shadow over France and before that shadow had departed, it had robbed her of her husband: Beauharnais was guillotined in July, 1789, and Josephine herself was only saved from sharing the same fate by the fall of Robespierre. In March, 1796, she married Napoleon Bonaparte, and thenceforth her history is blended with that of the last of the Cæsars. Hortense, then but thirteen years of age, was placed at the celebrated school of Madame Campan, in company with Napoleon's sister Caroline, afterward the wife of Murat and Queen of Naples. Here she remained until she had completed her education, winning the love of her teachers and class-mates, by a simple, unaffected modesty of demeanor, and bright and cheerful temper which never deserted her through all the changes and bitter trials of a weary life. The Duchesse D'Abrantes in her sparkling "Memories" gives the following sketch of Hortense Beauharnais at eighteen:

"She was as fresh as a rose, and though her fair complexion was not relieved by much color, she had enough to prove that her freshness and bloom which were her chief beauty. A profusion of light hair played in silky locks around her soft and penetrating blue eyes. The delicate roundness of her slender figure was set off by the elegant carriage of her head. Her feet were small and pretty; her hands very white, with pink, well-rounded nails. But what formed the chief attraction of Hortense was the grace and suavity of her manners. She was gay, gentle, amiable. She had wit which, without the smallest ill-temper, had just enough malice to be amusing. A polished education had improved her natural talents. She drew excellently, sang harmoniously, and performed admirably in comedy. I have seen many princesses, both in their own courts and in Paris, but I have never known one who had any pretensions to equal talents."

The nearest and most unselfish friend Napoleon ever had was, undoubtedly, Michael Duroc, grand marshal of the palace under the empire, and Duke of Friuli. He fell at the battle of Bautzen, May 23, 1813, and the Emperor never recovered from the blow which his loss inflicted. He speaks tenderly of him in the St. Helena memoirs and one of the largest legacies left in his will was to the daughter of the man who had loved him so well, and served him so faithfully. When Hortense entered society Duroc was a rising young general of twenty-nine, handsome, brave, and already distinguished. The pair were necessarily thrown much into each other's company, and love sprang up between them as naturally as flowers leap from the earth to welcome the smiles of the sun. They would have married but for Josephine. She had long since given up all hopes of having a child herself, and believed that if a union could be effected between Napoleon's brother Louis and her daughter, the offspring would be adopted by Bonaparte and recognized as their apparent. Napoleon was not unconscious of her plans, and according to Aourieune once remarked:

"Josephine labors in vain. Duroc and Hortense love each other, and they shall be married. I am attached to Duroc. He is well born. I have given Caroline to Murat, and Pauline to Le Clerc. I can as well give Hortense to Duroc. He is as good as the others. He is General of Division. Besides I have other views for Louis."

But Josephine succeeded, nevertheless, and the marriage occurred in 1802. Louis, in his memoirs says: "Never was there a more gloomy wedding. Never had a husband and wife a stronger presentment of a forced and unsuited marriage. Before the ceremony, during the benediction, and ever afterwards, we both and equally felt that we were not suited to each other."

The couple were mutually wretched from the outset, and neither the persistent effort of Napoleon and Josephine, nor the birth of children could ever bring them into harmony. They finally separated, and after the banishment of Napoleon, in 1815, Hortense retired to Switzerland with her youngest son, the present Emperor of the French, and devoted all her time and care to his education. To her he owed that thorough mental discipline, that courage in adversity that indomitable will, that fixedness of purpose, that faith in the Napoleonic star, which have accompanied him through poverty and distress, sorrow and disappointment, imprisonment and exile, and placed him at last upon the proudest throne of Europe. He, in return, repaid her with a love amounting almost to idolatry, and when in 1837 the tidings reached him in New York that she lay on the point of death at Arenemberg, he hastened across the sea to her side, and arrived just in time to close her eyes. She recognized him, threw her arms about his neck, whispered a mother's last blessing upon his lips, and died.

To-day, as the French soldiers are gathering for the defence of Paris, the hands of every reigment are playing the melody which Hortense, in her happier hours, composed; and it is the son's affection for the mother which is translated in "*Partant pour la Syrie.*"

—Christmas was first celebrated December 25th, A. D., 98.

General Election PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, in and by an Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled "An Act relating to the election of the Commonwealth," passed the 2d day of July, A. D. 1839, it is made the duty of the Sheriff of every county within this Commonwealth to give public notice of the General Elections, and in such notice to enumerate—

1. The officers to be elected.

2. Designate the place at which the election is to be held.

3. JOHN GREBING, High Sheriff of the county of Beaver, do hereby make known, and give this public notice to the electors of the county of Beaver, that

On and the 2d Tuesday of October next, (being the 11th day of the month,) a General Election will be held at the several election districts established by law in said county, at which time they will vote by ballot for the several officers hereinafter named, viz:—I shall vote

ONE PERSON for a Member of Congress from the Twenty-Fourth District of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

THREE PERSONS for the office of Members of the Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

ONE PERSON for the office of Prothonotary of the county of Beaver.

ONE PERSON for the office of Commissioner of the county of Beaver.

ONE PERSON for the office of Jury Commissioner of the county of Beaver.

ONE PERSON for the office of Auditor of the county of Beaver.

ONE PERSON for the office of Poor House Director in which each voter resides, and shall make a separate return of each to the county commissioners, in all cases in which a return is required by the provisions of this act; and the county commissioners, in making duplicate copies of all such returns shall make duplicate copies of the names of the voters in each precinct separately, & shall furnish the same to the assessors and the copies required by this act to be placed on the door of or on election places, on or before the first of August in each year, shall be placed on the door of or on the election place, in each of said precincts.

SEC. 8. After the assessments have been completed on the tenth day preceding the second Tuesday in October of each year the assessor shall set the Monday immediately following, make a return to the county commissioners of the names of all persons assessed by him since the return required to be made by him by the second section of this act, noting opposite each name the observations and explanations required to be noted as aforesaid; said the county commissioners shall thereupon cause the same to be added to the return required by the second section of this act, and a full and correct copy thereof to be made, containing the names of all persons so returned as taxables in said ward, borough, township or precinct, and furnish the same, together with the necessary election blanks, to the officers of the election in each ward, borough township or precinct, on or before six o'clock in the morning of the second Tuesday of October; and no name shall be permitted to vote at the election, on that day, whose name is not on said list, unless he shall cause proof of his right to vote, to be made after required.

SEC. 9. In the city of Lancaster, the several boroughs of Allegheny district, and the boroughs of Brighton township (not embracing the borough of Beaver), the election shall be held at the house now occupied by Jamieson Elliott, in said township.

The upper ward of Brighton township (not embracing the borough of Beaver), the election, on that day, shall be held at the house now occupied by Jamieson Elliott, in said township.

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The lower ward of Brighton township (not embraced in Industry district) will meet at the school house, near Mickey Hakin's, in said township.

The electors of the borough of Fallston will meet at the academy in said borough.

The electors of Patterson township will meet at the school house in the village of Brighton.

The electors of Ohioview township will meet at the house of Stephen Frazie, in said township.

The electors of Industry district will meet at the school house in Industry.

The electors of Harmony township will meet at the hotel in Economy.

The electors of Economy township will meet at the house of George C. Squibs, in said township.

The electors of the borough of Beaver will meet at the Sheriff's office, in said borough.

The electors of St. Clair borough will meet at the school house in said borough.

The electors of the borough of Baden will meet at the public school house in said borough.

The electors of Big Beaver township will meet at the school house in New Galilee.

The electors of Beaver Falls borough will meet at the public school house in said borough.

The electors of the borough of Georgetown will meet at the public school-house in said borough.

I hereby give official notice to the electors of their several rights as that by an act entitled "An Act further supplemental to the act relative to the elections of this Commonwealth," approved April 14th, A. D. 1862, it is provided as follows:

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same,* That it shall be the duty of each of the assessors within this Commonwealth, on the first Monday in June of each year, to take up the triennial list as received from the county commissioners under the eighth section of the act of the fifteenth of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and proceed to an immediate revision of the same, by striking therefrom the name of every person who is known by him to have died or removed since the last previous assessment from the district which he is the assessor of, or whose death or removal from the same shall be made known to him, and to add to the same the name of any qualified voter of the district known by him to have moved into the district since the last previous assessment, or whose removal into the same shall be or shall have been made known to him, and also the names of all who shall make claim to him to be qualified voters in such district, at such revision is completed he shall visit every dwelling house in his district and make careful inquiry if any person whose name is on said list has died or removed from the district, and if so to take the name therefrom; or whether any qualified voter resides therein whose name is not on his list, and if so to add the same thereto, and in all cases where a name is added to the list a tax shall forthwith be assessed against the person; and the assessor shall in all cases ascertain by inquiry upon what ground the person so assessed claims to be a voter. Upon the completion of the work it shall be the duty of each assessor as aforesaid to proceed to make out a list in alphabetical order of the names of all persons above twenty-one years of age claiming to be qualified voters in the ward, borough, township or district of which he is the assessor, & opposite each of said names state whether said freeman is or is not a householder; and the number of his residence, in towns where the streets are numbered, and in cases where they are not numbered, the name of the street or court in which situated; and if in a town where there are no numbers, the name of the house where such freeman lives or boards; and if in a town where there are no numbers, the name of the house where such freeman lives or boards; and also the occupation of the person; and where he is not a householder, the occupation, place of boarding and with whom, and if working for another the name of the employer, and write opposite each of said names the word "voter;" where any person claims to vote by reason of naturalization, he shall exhibit his certificate thereof to the assessor, unless he has been for five consecutive years next preceding a voter in said district; and in all cases where the person has been naturalized the assessor shall be marked with the letter "N;" where the person has merely declared his intentions to become a citizen and designs to be qualified before the next election, the name shall be marked "D. I." where the claim is to vote by reason of being between the ages of twenty-one and twenty-two, as provided by law, the word "age" shall be entered; and if the person has moved into the election district to reside since the last general election the letter "R" shall be placed opposite the name. It shall be the farther duty of each assessor as aforesaid, upon the completion of the list, to make out a separate list of all new settlers in his district, and the moments assessed upon each, and furnish the same immediately to the county commissioners, who shall immediately add the same to the last duplicate of the ward, borough, township or district in which they have been assessed.

SEC. 4. On the day being appointed and the assessments made as aforesaid, the same shall forthwith be returned to the county commissioners, who shall cause duplicate copies of said lists, with the observations and explanations required to be noted as aforesaid, to be made out as soon as practicable and posted in the office of the commissioners, where the same shall remain for the first of August in each year, put one copy thereof on the door of, or on the house where the election of the respective district is required to be held, and retain the other in his possession for the inspection, free of charge, of any person resident in the said election district who shall desire to see the same; and it shall be the duty of the said assessor to add from time to time, on the personal application of any one claiming the right to vote, the name of such claimant, and mark opposite the name "C," and insert immediately among the list, noting in all such cases, his occupation, residence, whether a householder or lodger, and if a householder with whom he boards, and whether naturalized or designating by marking in all such cases the letters opposite the name, "N" or "D. I." as the case may be; if the person claiming to be accepted by naturalized he shall exhibit to the assessor the certificate of his naturalization; and if he claims that the designs to be naturalized before the next succeeding election, he shall exhibit the certificate of his declaration of intention; and in cases where any ward, borough, township or election district is divided into two or more precincts, the assessor shall note in all his assessments the election precinct in which each elector resides, and shall make a separate return of each to the county commissioners, in all cases in which a return is required in which each to the county commissioners, in all cases in which a return is required by the provisions of this act; and the county commissioners, in making duplicate copies of all such returns shall make duplicate copies of the names of the voters in each precinct separately, & shall furnish the same to the assessors and the copies required by this act to be placed on the door of or on election places, on or before the first of August in each year, shall be placed on the door of or on the election place, in each of said precincts.

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